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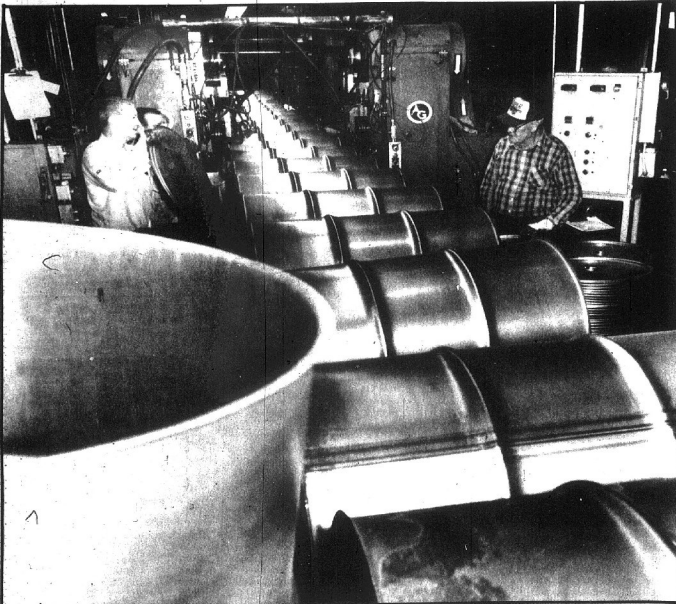
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Nesco surpasses a world production record



HIGH SPEED ASSEMBLY of 55-gallon barrels is accomplished Tuesday as workers at Reliable Nesco steel barrel plant set a new

record for the most barrels ever produced in a single plant in a seven and one-half hour working day. (Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

By GARY SCHNEIDER
of the Press-Record

While throngs cheered and celebrated at Marti Gras in New Orleans Tuesday, Granite City was rather peaceful. That is unless you were inside the Reliable Nesco steel barrel manufacturing plant downtown where there was a great deal of celebrating going on.

The people there had good reason to celebrate. They had just set a world record. Tuesday, the local plant manufactured more barrels in one day than any other barrel plant has ever done, by far.

"We have been known in the industry as an orphan. We decided we wanted to become number one and we've done it today," said Dennis Albright, general manager. The local plant redesigned, retooled, retrained and reworked work assignments over a full month, all working toward setting the record Feb. 15.

They even exceeded their own expectations. According to Albright, the most barrels any factory ever manufactured in a 7½-hour work day was 4,500. Reliable Nesco topped that mark at 3 p.m. Excitement built as the tally reached 4,700 at 3:15. The pace was frenzied with 58 production personnel trying to run every barrel possible through the line before the cutoff at 3:25 p.m.

Seconds before the cutoff, it was announced that the 5,000th barrel made that day was going through the painting machine. The scene turned into a giant celebration.

Men were cheering. Eileen Willis, timekeeper and secretary to the plant manager, cried and hugged Albright. Albright and Eddie Barab, plant manager, shook hands and walked through the group congratulating the men who made it happen.

All amidst the deafening sound of the machinery twisting, moving, shaping and painting metal, making more barrels to add to the record.

There was little ceremony at 3:25 p.m. A switch was pushed and the manufacturing line groaned to a stop. It

was silent. The workers removed the last barrel formed from the line and waited for the official tally.

A minute later, it was announced over the intercom, "Five thousand and thirteen." Broad smiles broke out on all the workers' faces. They not only broke

the record, they exceeded even their own beliefs. Their pride was obvious. The most they had ever produced in a day before was 3,500.

Three months ago, the men didn't believe they could do 3,000 (barrels) a day. (Continued on Page 10)



A VERY HAPPY MAN, Dennis Albright, general manager of Reliable Nesco, shows his pride as he wraps an arm around an employee, Eileen Willis, and congratulates everyone as the plant Tuesday turns out its 5,000th completed barrel in a single work day, breaking a world record.

3 Nameoki officials asked to resign

By PAT HAY LUTZ
for the Press-Record

What began as an ordinary Nameoki Township meeting on Monday, quickly turned into an accusation competition where three of the competitors were asked to resign. Trustee Lee Adams opened the door by accusing Highway Commissioner Frank Mehelic of filling potholes in Pontoon Beach without having a contract with the village of Pontoon Beach. A motion asking for Mehelic's resignation was passed on a 3-2 vote.

According to Adams, Mehelic did the work on private property and planned to have Pontoon Beach pay for the job. Adams produced a handful of pictures showing Mehelic's crew working in the Gaslight Plaza Shopping Center, and showed receipts that Mehelic had signed indicating the amount of asphalt used in the work. "It looks like it was an attempt to pull the wool over the eyes of this board and the Village of Pontoon Beach," Adams said.

"I've really been getting barbecued," Mehelic contends

Half of the bill was paid by Leo Wolf of L. Wolf Construction, who manages the property for owner Illini Federal, and Adams asked the board's refusal to pay the remaining portion of the bill. Adams also asked that Mehelic pay for the asphalt, labor and truck rental charges incurred in the job. After the board unanimously sided with Adams, Adams issued a warning to Pontoon Beach officials. "This is not a just bill," he said. "I suggest that Pontoon Beach check their bills very carefully when they come through."

Mehelic defended his decision to fill the potholes, saying that it was

necessary. "I do all of the work for Pontoon Beach. This was for the safety and welfare of the people," he stated. Mehelic also said that Pontoon Beach has a contract with his department which allows Pontoon Beach to pay for snow removal. "They pay us \$3,000 every year for snow removal," he said. "We have to account for that money to the Department of Transportation by showing work we did in return for their payment. In a year like this, we do jobs

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County decides not to investigate Weber now

By NANCY WEIL
of the Press-Record

A resolution petitioning the circuit court to appoint a special prosecutor to investigate allegations that State's Attorney Don W. Weber may have misused or stolen county money was withdrawn Wednesday at the Madison County Board meeting.

County Board Member Charles Burns of Edwardsville, who presented the petition, told the board he needs "more information" about the allegations before the petition is considered. After the meeting, Burns said he decided Tuesday that he needs more "evidence to back up the resolution," including statements and affidavits from former employees in Weber's office.

The allegations surfaced in a letter from Amiel Cueto, a Belleville at-

torney, after he was contacted by Marvin Darling, former administrator in Weber's office. Cueto's letter alleges that Weber paid Virginia Rullison, one of his employees, full-time wages and benefits, although she seldom showed up for work.

Cueto suggested in the letter that Weber might be guilty of official misconduct, conspiracy and theft. "Tens of thousands" of dollars were paid to Miss Rullison for work she did not do, the letter said and includes various other allegations.

The petition submitted by Burns deals only with the allegations involving misusing or stealing county money. Burns said he decided to submit the resolution after reading Cueto's letter and calling the attorney to confirm its contents.

However, Burns said he has not talked to Weber. Miss Rullison, any present employees in Weber's office, or Darling. Further, he has not spoken with any county board members to get their opinions on the allegations.

"Basically, what I have now in terms of evidence is just hearsay," Burns said. He added that he intends to speak with more people, including county board members, before introducing the petition, possibly at the March board meeting.

Should Burns find that a majority of board members support Weber, he still will pursue the petition. "There's no doubt about that. I think I've done my job as a board member to red flag it

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GC schools trim next budget

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

Upset by a citizen's "solutions" that board members felt offered no answers, Granite City school officials enacted a \$31,136,463 tentative 1983-84 budget Tuesday night and proceeded with implementation of deep cost reduction plans.

The \$31,136,463 document lists

\$6,708,000 for redemption of tax anticipation warrants and \$24,428,463 for all other costs, including a \$153,554 working cash fund transfer; it envisions less spending than in 1982-83 in a number of categories.

Consideration of a budget is required now in order to begin borrowing against it this spring with second-year warrants. But revisions are inevitable later

in 1983 because many factors, including state fund allocations and property assessment totals, are unknown.

The board will meet:

Feb. 28 on administrative and supervisory reorganization.

March 1 on school attendance boundaries, administrators' assignments, possible elimination of further ad-

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deaths

Thomas Allen
Alexander Basarich
Katherine Buenger
Orla Dunahue
Homer Jordan
Levi Ogle
Earnest Thompson
Leonard Young

weather

Partly cloudy today with a high near 50. Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday with a low near 30 and a high in the upper 40s. Winds Friday light and variable. Partly cloudy during the weekend with a chance of showers late Saturday or early Sunday. Weekend lows in the 20s to 30s and highs in the 40s and 50s.

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Catholic high school sought here

The feasibility of opening a Catholic high school in Granite City is being studied by a group of parents representing the six parishes in the Quad-City area. Bishop Joseph A. McNicholas, of the Springfield Diocese, was informed of the group's efforts last night during his visit to St. Elizabeth Church for Ash Wednesday services.

Mark Yehling, a St. Elizabeth parish board member and a coordinator of the parents' group, explained the parents' efforts to have a Catholic high school established in the Quad-Cities to the bishop's aide and gave him a letter which asks the bishop for his help in studying the possibility of such a school. Rumors that the bishop was to tour a

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ASH WEDNESDAY OBSERVANCE.

The Most Rev. Joseph A. McNicholas, bishop of the Springfield Diocese, places ashes on the forehead of Wendy Knollman, a seventh-grader at St. Margaret Mary Church, Wednesday morning. At left is Gina Mangiaracino, also a seventh

th grade student, and behind the girls is their teacher, Mrs. Marian Kurant. The bishop visited five churches in the Quad-Cities and distributed ashes, the symbol of penitence and man's mortality, to local parishioners.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Cahokia Mounds added to World Heritage List

Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site, southeast of Horseshoe Lake, has become the 10th U.S. entry on the United Nations' prestigious World Heritage List of premier cultural, natural and historical properties.

Owned by the Illinois Department of Conservation, Cahokia Mounds is the remains of a highly-developed prehistoric Indian civilization and city that is rated one of North America's most significant archaeological sites.

The mounds site was voted to the list recently in Paris by the World Heritage Committee, an arm of the UN's 53-nation International Convention for the Protection of the World Cultural and Natural Heritage. The convention maintains and oversees the global roster.

Lawrence Aten, chief of the National Park Service's Intergovernmental Resources Management Division, said Cahokia Mounds "was nominated for the honor in May, 1981, by a U.S. committee charged with proposing American sites to the world body. The 18-month delay between nomination and acceptance is normal since the World Heritage Committee meets annually, said Aten. It was Aten who notified the Conservation Department of the honor. No formal announcement of the World Committee's action has yet come from its Paris headquarters.

Inclusion on the World List will bring a monetary award, or provide binding protection, according to Aten, but it heightens public interest locally and "ascribes an important level of prestige and recognition worldwide to the mounds."

"As a consequence, Cahokia Mounds acquires a certain amount of influence in its own preservation," Aten added. A bronze commemorative plaque probably will be presented to the site by the World Heritage Convention, but confirmation of this may await formal announcement of Cahokia's selection, he said.

Cahokia Mounds is the first Illinois site named to the world registry of places

"having transcendent world significance, important beyond national boundaries," Aten reported. It also is the only non-federal property among 10 in the United States recognized since the World Heritage Convention was established in 1972 and it is the only U.S. site added since October, 1981.

The other nine U.S. sites, and the year they were accepted: Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming, 1973; Mesa Verde National Park, Colorado, 1978; Independence Hall, Philadelphia, 1979; Everglades National Park, Florida, 1979; Grand Canyon National Park, Arizona, 1979; Wrangell-St. Elias National Park, Alaska, 1979; Redwood National Park, California, 1980; Mammoth Cave National Park, Kentucky, 1981, and Olympic National Park, Washington, 1981.

Cahokia was proposed unsuccessfully for nomination in 1977. The ancient cliff dwelling Indian city at Mesa Verde was chosen instead that year by the U.S. committee, which is composed of

experts in architecture, archaeology, natural science, history and cultural resources from such agencies as the Department of the Interior, Smithsonian Institution, State Department and Environmental Protection Agency.

Aten said the Cahokia nomination received vigorous support from the World Committee's staff. But a major factor in its final approval was a letter from Gov. James Thompson indicating strong state commitment to Cahokia's preservation and expansion, and recognition of its importance to Illinois. Aten read the letter, addressed to the Department of the Interior, was read at the World Committee's meeting.

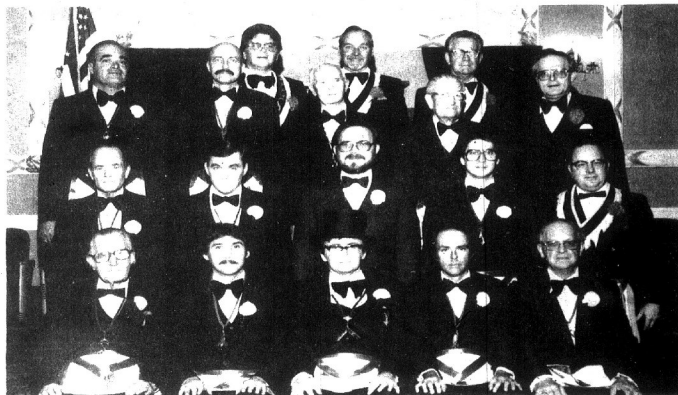
The 1,300-acre Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site protects features of a prehistoric Indian city that appears to have encompassed about six square miles and was the hub of a com-

plex of satellite communities, connecting roads, extensive trade network, and a well-developed agricultural system between 900 and 1400 A.D. Estimated of its population range from 11,000 to 40,000 people.

The ancient community contained as many as 120 mounds, the largest (Monk's Mound) covering 14 acres and rising to a height of 100 feet. As much as 300 acres of the central section of the city was enclosed by a protective log palisade.

Both the city and its people literally disappeared mysteriously before the first Europeans arrived in the area, about 1500 A.D.

The site's importance was recognized before the turn of the century by archaeologists and many local residents who worked to have it protected. Land acquisition by the state began in 1925 and was followed in 1931 by dedication of the property as a state park. It has since been expanded, the latest expansion being acquisition of land formerly occupied by the Falcon Drive-in Theater this year.



NEW OFFICERS of Masonic Triple Lodge 835, AF&AM, shown with Worshipful Master Dale O'Beir, first row, center, following installation ceremonies at the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard. Others elected to lead the lodge in 1983 and those conducting the ceremony are: First row, from left to right, William J. Mehl, treasurer; Robert Ashcraft, senior warden; O'Beir; Richard Hahn, junior warden; and Ellis Hackney Jr., secretary.

Second row, from left, Ralph McKinney, senior steward; Darold Dickerson, junior steward; Richard Staggs Jr., chaplain; Harlan Keel, junior deacon; Max Clinard, installing chaplain. Third row, from left, Marshal Thoreson, senior deacon; Richard Bills, marshal; Vic Johnson, organist; Floyd Hanne, tyler; Ed Nida, retiring master. Fourth row, from left, Gary Reed, installing master; Richard Staggs Sr., installing marshal; and Harry Sharp, installing secretary.

Madison Avenue rebidding high

The second round of bidding for Madison Avenue resurfacing, from Second Street to 20th Street, has produced an \$8,944 drop in price. But the new \$906,282 bid by MacLair Asphalt Co., Inc., Collinsville, might still be too high.

Dale L. Klorer, district engineer with the Illinois Department of Transportation, said the new low bid opened last week was higher than IDOT's original engineer's estimate of \$720,000.

Klorer guessed it will be about two weeks before officials in Springfield decide whether or not to accept the bid. The project was first bid in January when Reese Construction Co., Cahokia, was low bidder at \$315,126. That bid was rejected.

The 1.61 miles of resurfacing will be a project jointly funded by the state and the city of Madison. The project

is expected to be undertaken this summer.

Granite City also has announced plans to resurface Madison Avenue from 20th Street to Nameoki Road. The project has been tentatively set for the spring of 1984.

Last month, the Granite City Council approved a resolution appropriating

PLEADS GUILTY

Frank W. Kaych Jr., 54, of 2745 Grand Ave., who was arrested during the weekend and charged with disorderly conduct after he allegedly caused problems for his elderly parents at their home by yelling and making threats and also attempted to intimidate one parent over the telephone while at police headquarters. He pleaded guilty to the charge in a court appearance at 4 p.m. Monday and was released after posting a \$50 cash bond.

A meeting of all parents of band students in the district is scheduled for 7 tonight in the South Band Room. The committee plans to distribute a mail-in form throughout the city. The association is hoping to receive support from all segments of the community for this program to continue the "city's fine tradition in music education," a spokesman for the group said.

AUTO MISSING
Robert Massman, 2606 E. 25th St., reported at 12:30 p.m. Monday that his white 1976 Ford LTD was stolen from Nameoki Road and Wilson Avenue during the weekend.

\$105,000 of its future Motor Fuel Tax revenues as the city's share of the estimated \$400,000 cost of the project. The federal government will pay for 70 percent when the final cost is established. The state has not yet solicited bids for the Granite City resurfacing project.

Band parents plan to protest decision

Reacting to the announcement that the elementary band program will not be included in next year's curriculum, the Granite City High School South Band Parents' Association formed a committee at its February meeting to take action in an attempt to show the school board the importance of early band experience and training.

The committee seeks public support to urge the school board to reverse the decision about the program, which was the only major program cut from the budget next year.

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BICYCLIST HURT
Benny Arnold, 13, of 2928 Willow Ave., suffered an injury and was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center this week, after the bicycle he was riding in the 2900 block of Willow Ave., reportedly struck the left front of a parked motor home, belonging to Wilkie Williams of Madison.

Officer foils burglary attempt

Called to a possible burglary in progress at Dunbar School, 901 Jackson St., West Madison, during the weekend, an officer checked the main part of the building and then drove through an alley, between West Third and Weaver streets, where he saw a man standing outside the building.

The man fled toward Weaver at the squad car's approach and a search of the area failed to locate the suspect.

Two boxes, however, were found outside the school beneath an open window, a report said. Each box contained 32 pounds of government supplied butter.

Inside the building, the officer discovered a hammer had been used to break a window in the kitchen door and remove the butter from a refrigerator. The boxes had been placed on a cart and wheeled to the open window, reports said.

Packages of frozen ham and fruit drinks also had been taken from a cooler and left near the icebox, apparently ready to be removed to the kitchen area, it was noted.

Local governments should be allowed to receive block grants from the state

Tash force recommends better use of grants

Governor James R. Thompson announced Monday that the Task Force on Block Grant Implementation has submitted a final report recommending more than 50 steps that could be taken to better use federal grants in Illinois.

"I commend the Task Force for its work, which represents the most comprehensive overview of human services in Illinois to date," the governor told the task force.

"This report demonstrates that giving state and localities new rights and responsibilities and bringing decisions back to local areas can produce good ideas and ways to deliver services," he said. "The task force has prepared a blueprint, in a sense, of work yet to be done in the '80's."

The 24-member task force, created in November, 1981, by Thompson, makes a series of 51 recommendations in its final report to the governor on ways the more than \$300 million in federal health and human service block grants can be better used in Illinois. Those proposals, said the governor, will be reviewed by the administration and the Cabinet for his choices on which ones to use in Illinois.

Among the more significant recommendations drafted by the panel, chaired by Larry Hall, a Chicago human services consultant, were:

Local governments should be allowed to receive block grants from the state

In the same manner the federal government distributes funds to states.

Create a Health and Human Services policy Bureau in the governor's office.

Cut red tape by simplifying fiscal and programming reporting procedures between state and local governments.

Thompson said that most of the other proposals outline priorities in health and human services in Illinois for the next decade, with much of the task force's work centered on "the core business of state government, which will not be abandoned if state fiscal resources decrease."

"With a clear understanding of an administration's priorities," the report says, "consumers and providers can openly discuss, and debate them, more easily establish their own priorities, create areas of partnership with state agencies and begin to marshal their own limited resources."

To fill critical gaps that may develop if the state must reduce its funding of areas that are not part of the core business.

The governor said that task force conducted a series of nine hearings across the state and planned 30 educational forums. In addition, nearly 5,000 people participated in task force hearings and forums.

A copy of the task force report is available from the governor's office by request.

Aging office nearing age of 10 years

"It is an honor to serve as director of the state agency that was created to help improve the lives of senior citizens in Illinois," says Peg R. Blaser, newly reappointed to a two-year term.

A senior citizen herself, the 58-year-old was appointed acting director of the agency in May 1979. She became the official director in January 1980, when she reached the age of 55. It is required by statute that the department's director be at least 55 years of age.

The Department on Aging has operated as an executive department of state government since 1973. It is the single state agency in Illinois authorized to receive and disburse federal and state funds for programs to serve older persons.

"Though the agency is not quite a decade old, it has continued to make progress in meeting the needs of the nearly 1.8 million seniors in our state," the director says. "One of the department's greatest accomplishments is the state's Community Care Program, which helps older persons remain in their own homes if they don't need to be in a nursing home."

Serving over 10,000 clients a month, Community Care provides a home care, housekeeping, homemaker and adult day care services.

The Department on Aging also distributes Federal Older Americans Act funds to the state's 13 agencies on aging. These funds help provide over 30 types of services, ranging from transportation, meals and employment to recreation, counseling and legal services.

"As we look toward the future, we hope to continue to witness a growth in the state's aging programs, with particular emphasis on the prevention of premature institutionalization," she concludes.

CHARGE VENICE MAN AT SEMC

Granite City police were called to the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center Monday, where Lester Buckels, 32, of 105 Lee Wright Homes, Venice, had been brought for treatment and allegedly was found to have a weapon in his possession.

A relative had taken Buckels to the hospital and told police that he was unaware the man had a gun tucked in the back of his trousers. A P-38 automatic with eight 9mm rounds in the clip and a growth in the nurse and confiscated by officers.

Buckels, who had a Firearm Owner's Identification card, was charged with unlawful use of a weapon. He appeared at a court session at the Granite City Police Department on his release from the medical center at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday and was held in the city jail. He was fined \$52 and was released.

THROWS BOTTLE

Anita Sanders, 2135 Woodlawn Ave., reported at 2:40 a.m. Tuesday that someone drove by her house and threw a bottle at her car, damaging the windshield and chrome trim.

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Disturbance ends in arrest

Officers arrived at 4101 Rode Ave., where a reported disturbance was taking place at 2:45 a.m. Tuesday, to find four or five people standing around and allegedly saw Robert R. Cox III, 25, of Collinsville, push his estranged wife, Robin, to the ground.

Cox reportedly forced a rear door at the dwelling to get inside, where Mrs. Cox found him upon arriving home and an argument ensued, she told police.

Cox then went outdoors and a witness reported seeing the man standing near a parked car holding a club, which he threw behind a garage.

An auto belonging to Cindy Ferguson, 3 Tulip Court, who was at Mrs. Cox's home, was found to have a window smashed, police said. A wooden nightstick was recovered near the garage, reports said.

Cox was booked on a state charge of battery, signed by Mrs. Cox, and criminal damage to property in a complaint signed by Miss Ferguson. He was released at 3:35 a.m. Tuesday on payment of a \$204 cash bond.

Governor blasts study of business climate in Illinois

Local 67 to distribute food baskets

Governor James R. Thompson contends the latest Alexander Grant study of the 1982 business climate in the 48 contiguous states should be viewed as a very narrow study, a disclaimer made by the consulting firm itself.

Though the study shows Illinois ranked 42nd in 1982 compared to 43rd a year ago, it also cautions against using the findings as the sole basis for considering any state as a place to do business.

"This study is not meant to supply all the information needed for a site selection decision," states Alexander Grant in its fourth annual effort. "Any business firm con-

sidering such an option will have individualized needs." "I certainly agree with that statement," said Thompson, "since Illinois offers much more than the 23 factors analyzed by Alexander Grant. I also find it interesting the firm could not devise some way to incorporate 'quality of life,' even though the study says users frequently ask for such information."

Thompson added, "Since this study was done in cooperation with the Conference of State Manufacturers' Association (COSMA), it's only natural most items taken into consideration would reflect the

very specific concerns of manufacturing firms — but minimize or overlook entirely others we consider crucial to Illinois' business climate."

"For example, Illinois has a superb educational network, including universities among the finest in the world," said Thompson. "We also have an excellent community college system focusing increasingly on business concerns. Illinois is centrally located with ready access to all U.S. markets."

"We also have a transportation system second to none and, in Illinois, manufacturers know they have a well-trained pool of skilled workers," said Thompson. "The result is that in Illinois,

the productivity returned on wages paid is above the national average."

Finally, Thompson said, Illinois state government is working aggressively with all segments of society — business, education, labor, local government, economic developers, the federal government — to make Illinois the most attractive place in the country to do business.

"This priority push to improve the business climate is working," said Thompson. "Just last week, for example, the Hyster Company announced it is restructuring so that Kewanee and Danville together will have 2,900

more jobs by 1987. This was possible only through a concerted effort by the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA) to work with everybody concerned."

DCCA Director Peter B. Fox said the study, entitled "General Manufacturing Business Climates," does contain several findings that suggest the Thompson administration effort to work with business has succeeded.

"For example," said Fox, "when factors described as 'Government Controlled' are considered alone, Illinois ranks 31st this year compared to 42nd a year ago. We think this is no accident. It's a direct result of the untiring

attempt by Illinois to enhance the entire economic development climate, not just for manufacturers but for all Illinoisans."

"Secondly, of the six Great Lakes states in the study (Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Ohio and Michigan), only Illinois has gone up in the eyes of Alexander Grant," said Fox. "All the rest have slipped or (in Minnesota's case) stayed the same."

But Fox added, "In two areas where I feel Illinois has made substantial progress — the impact of state government on business and the productivity of our labor force — the significance of

these items in the view of Alexander Grant has dropped," said Fox. "The weight given to these items has been diminished. I therefore question how valuable this study can be, even within the limited scope established for it."

Thompson said, "Apart from any study, the goal of my administration remains this: to work on the specific needs of any firm interested in doing business in Illinois. I encourage any business leader considering Illinois to contact me or the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs to find out just how much Illinois can and will offer."

DECREASE IN STATE GOVERNMENT STAFF

The number of state employees dropped by 2,386 from December 1981 to December 1982. Comptroller Roland W. Burris lists 113,778 on the payroll, a drop of 1,671 from November 1982, with 134 fewer state workers in agencies and 1,537 less in higher education.

Compared to a year earlier, there were 2,334 fewer employees in state agencies at the end of calendar 1982, and the higher education payroll was up 8. In the past month, constitutional officers and courts were down 22, code departments up 20, major commissions down 19, and miscellaneous agencies down 113.

TAVERN BURGLARY NETS \$500 IN LOOT

An employee arrived during the weekend at Mike's Place Tavern, 1100 Greenwood St., Madison, to find a rear door standing open and the tavern burglarized.

Stolen were three wristwatches, a bottle of whiskey and about \$500 cash, including \$80 from the cash register, \$20 from a cigarette machine, \$275 from a cash box and \$120 from another machine, Pete Skundrich, owner, reported.

Entry was gained by bending hasps on the door and forcing it open.

McGruff makes stop on SIUE campus

By TOMMYE WALTER

Taking time out from his dogged pursuit of crime, McGruff the Crime Dog made a scheduled stop at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville last week to promote National Crime Prevention Week.

A 6-foot "doggy" type of crime fighter armed with floppy ears, a ready smile and wearing a trenchcoat, McGruff was created some years ago by the National Advertising Council to promote crime prevention. Since then, he has become law enforcement's counterpart to Smokey the Bear, who is synonymous with fighting forest fires.

McGruff first stopped at the office of the president, presenting President Earl Lazerson a miniature "crime dog" and a special certificate, recognizing his concern for the safety of the university campus and his support of the crime fighting activities of the University Police.

McGruff's next stop was at the Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center, where the coordinator of the center, Pamela Klein, was cited for the services that the center provides rape and sexual assault victims in the area.

Fred O. Crimmins, manager of the SIUE radio station, and Ed King, editor of the student newspaper, were recognized by McGruff for their assistance in disseminating information concerning National Crime Prevention Week. Student President Deb Buer was commended for student government's support of the campaign.

Well-known for his frequent appearances on television and in the news, McGruff travels across the



CRIMEFIGHTER, McGruff, the national symbol of fighting crime, presents Earl Lazerson, center, president of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, with a certificate and miniature likeness of McGruff. University Police Chief Charles McDonald, right, looks on. While he was on campus promoting National Crime Prevention Week, McGruff recognized several members of the campus community for their support of the crime fighting efforts of the University Police.

(Photo by Charles H. Cox)

country, giving tips to the public on how they can avoid violence. Even though McGruff's visit to the university campus was brief, he left behind booklets designed to help people protect themselves against such crimes as rape, robbery, arson and fraud.

The booklet, "Take a Bite Out of Crime," may be obtained by contacting Pat Rzewnicki, public safety counselor with the University Police, by calling 1-692-3324.

AINAD MOTOR POOL INSTALLS OFFICERS

The Ainaad 400 Motor Pool has installed new officers for 1983. Those Nobles recently elected include: Grover Branson, president; Roscoe Tom McGee, vice president; Bill Ellis, secretary; John Tucker, treasurer; and the ever faithful, Captain Vernon Clatts.

Installation ceremonies were at the Den with a

cocktail hour, followed by dinner. During the ceremony, Captain Clatts was presented a trophy for being voted Shriner of the Year by the unit.

Randy Burton swore in the new officers and then spoke about some of the duties of which Shriners should be aware. He told about the circus, which will be in the area again this year. The Shriners hope it will be the biggest and best circus yet, he said.

Heart Fair Wednesday at medical center

By DEBORAH WILLIAMS

St. Elizabeth Medical Center, when asked which disease is the number one killer in the United States, most people would say cancer. But, according to the National Heart Association, 52 percent of all deaths in 1981 were attributed to heart and blood diseases with only 23 percent due to cancer.

In honor of February being National Heart Month, St. Elizabeth Medical Center is offering a one-day, informational Heart Fair on Wednesday, Feb. 23, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the main lobby of the hospital.

Members of the Cardiac Rehabilitation and Intensive Care units' medical staffs will be on hand to provide and discuss information concerning high blood pressure, smoking, stress and the risk factors involved in heart disease.

"We also will be taking people's blood pressure and having them fill out questionnaires to see whether they are high risk patients," said Val Buder, assistant supervisor of ICCU. "In Madison County alone we

had a total of 2,313 deaths due to heart disease in 1981, with 1,194 being attributed to cardio-vascular disease."

The most common types of heart disease are angina (the narrowing of the arteries causing the heart to not get enough blood, thus causing chest pains), congestive heart failure (where the heart does not pump efficiently, thereby allowing the blood to back up, congesting the lungs and causing swelling in the limbs) and heart attack.

While attending the Heart Fair, visitors will be able to obtain Coronary Club applications and referral forms. The Coronary Club, which serves as a resource to heart patients, their relatives and interested professionals, provides educational and supportive socialization for persons diagnosed with coronary artery disease.

The Cardiac Rehabilitation and Intensive Care units are also in the process of compiling a Cardio Cookbook under the supervision of Maureen Mehelich, staff nurse and Coronary

Club coordinator, which will feature area residents' favorite recipes. These recipes will be reviewed by a dietitian and altered to be more consistent with a low cholesterol, low fat diet.

"We're asking that residents either mail or bring in their recipes to the Cardiac Rehab Unit," said Maureen Mehelich, "or they can drop them off at one of the booths the day of the Heart Fair."

Each person submitting a recipe will have his name listed as a contributor to the cookbook, which will go on sale in the middle of the summer.

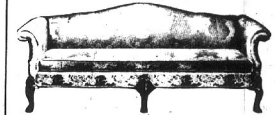
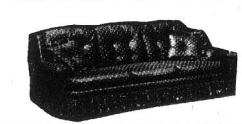
The money from the sale of these cookbooks will be put into an emergency fund. "We frequently have patients who do not have the money to buy their medicine," she said. "After determining the extent of their need, we will use this emergency fund to help these people get their medicine."

For more information on the Heart Fair or Cardio Cookbook, interested persons may call 799-3454.

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The taxpayer can claim the new partial deduction for charitable contributions on the 1040EZ. For single persons, this deduction is 25 percent of the first \$100 donated to charity.

Form 1040EZ contains only 11 lines, half the length of Form 1040A for 1982. Like the 1982 Form 1040A, it is divided into steps that guide the taxpayer through the form. The simple language of the form and instructions, which complements the graphic layout, makes the form easy to use.

Forms are available through IRS distribution centers and at banks, post offices, and public libraries.

MAYORS' COUNCIL TO HEAR WASTE LECTURE

Reservations still can be made to attend the Southwestern Illinois Council of Mayors meeting Wednesday, Feb. 23, at the Panorama Lanes on South Belt in Belleville.

The hospitality hour will begin at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7 and the meeting at 8. Cost is \$11 per person and a cash bar will be available.

The scheduled speaker is Don Gabris of Monsanto, who will speak on hazardous waste material. Reservations are due by tomorrow and can be made by calling 1-288-5809. All reservations are guaranteed.

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Motorists face financial choice

"Pay now, or pay later." That's what a TV commercial says about proper auto care, and the same kind of approach is being used by those who want to build support for higher Illinois fuel taxes.

It may be impossible to convince legislators and the public that the 7½-cent Illinois gasoline tax ought to be increased to 11 cents a gallon.

But if the proposal can be "sold" to Illinoisans, it apparently will be because it is seen as the lesser of two evils — "only" an extra 3½ cents to avoid higher repair and fuel costs stemming from driving on deteriorated surfaces. Pay the tax now, or pay later in the form of missing wheel covers, broken suspensions, damaged shock absorbers, etc.

Potholes abound on streets and roads and the governor thinks an infusion of money is needed to remedy the situation. Certainly, the problem has been getting worse in the past several years.

Illinois envisions \$223 million in new road fund revenue in the first full year, with \$150 million of that used to match federal dollars. Over the next four years, this state could lose up to \$2 billion in U.S. highway money to other states if it does not increase its own taxation. A five-cent federal fuel tax rise is slated for April.

The 11-cent Illinois tax would be indexed for yearly automatic increases based on the average rise in personal income in the state. The 7½-cent level is the fourth lowest among the 50 states, trailing only Missouri's seven cents, Oklahoma's 6½ and Texas' five cents; a raise to 11 cents would put our state in the mid-range. Vehicle license fees here also are among the lowest in the nation.

Illinois now has the oldest highway and bridge system in the U.S. and the fourth most extensive, according to Transportation Secretary John Kramer. He contends that driving over rough highways can consume up to 50 percent more fuel and double the maintenance costs for steering, brake and suspension systems.

While the fuel tax and license fees have been unchanged since 1969, inflation has led to those funds purchasing only about one-third as much as before. A big factor is cars' improved mileage, reducing the number of gallons used.

A persuasive case is being made for a \$900 million annual construction and repair program but recession-plagued taxpayers are in a generous mood. It is still unclear whether they will prefer to "pay now or pay later."

New incentive for DUI drive

As is being pointed out in Washington, states with strong statutes to deter drunk driving can qualify immediately for a bonus in federal highway safety funding.

Intoxicated driving—widely known as DUI or "driving under the influence" of alcohol or drugs—is blamed for 25,000 traffic fatalities each year, about half the national total of road deaths.

With the Department of Transportation prepared to distribute the new incentive grants, there is an improved outlook for a concerted nationwide crackdown.

At her confirmation hearing before the Senate Commerce Committee, new U.S. Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole said implementing this law will be a top priority.

Cooperating states can qualify for an increase of up to 50 percent in their allocation of highway safety funds. The law now emphasizes deterrence through prompt and automatic license suspension for intoxicated motorists.

States qualify for a basic grant increase of 30 percent

if their laws: (1) establish blood alcohol content of .10 percent as conclusive proof of intoxication, (2) provide for quick suspension of offenders' licenses for 90 days on the first occurrence and one year on a second occurrence, (3) require a mandatory 48-hour jail term or 10 days of community service for anyone convicted more than once in a five-year period and (4) demonstrate more aggressive enforcement of their laws and make the public aware of the new enforcement.

An additional grant of 20 percent is available when a state takes further steps to improve its laws and shows greater enforcement and public awareness.

Authorized funding for the incentive grants is \$125 million over fiscal years 1983-85. The department is able to pay the grants from existing revenue, so a separate appropriation is not required.

Under the timetable in the law, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration published basic grant rules Feb. 1 and is to complete supplemental grant criteria by March 1.

economical for the buyer will inevitably help us here. We are out to prove that IMAGE will be a force for the betterment of the construction economy in Metro-East and the financial condition of the region as a whole."

Richard Baalmann, chairman of the Bi-State Development Agency board, added that "IMAGE provides the foundation of proper communication on which change can be built stone by stone, project by project. This building of communication and cooperation between labor and management can and will have its desired result—an environment without jurisdictional work stoppages, an increase in productivity and, ultimately, lower building costs."

Such benefits were described by Weis and Farrell as the embodiment of the IMAGE program. They said the goal is to achieve these advantages and others, for the benefit of not one but all parties.

Cooperation for growth and jobs

Just as predecessor labor-management groups did during massive expansion projects at Granite City Steel, IMAGE (Involvement and Management, Advance Growth and Employment) is playing an effective role in current Southern Illinois building activity.

Speaking at ceremonies highlighting IMAGE's participation in Bi-State Transit System bus garage construction work in East St. Louis, Bob Weis, labor co-chairman of IMAGE, said, "The cooperative and open relationship fostered between labor and management will prevent problems on the job before they occur. IMAGE involvement can mean better workmanship and timely completion of the project."

Byron Farrell, management co-chairman, commented, "Past successes in allowing construction users, contractors, labor and designers to meet and arrive at ways to make construction more productive and

THROUGH THE LILES

Compiled from the pages of the Granite City Press-Record

50 Years Ago

Feb. 17, 1933

Three weeks of fighting against an organic malady, the last week of which he refused to take nourishment, ended in the death at 12:10 o'clock yesterday noon of Ross Johnson, chief of police in Granite City. He was in a coma for two days before he died.

He passed away quietly with his brother, Olin Johnson, prominent sportsman and race owner of Miami, who hurried here by automobile and train Wednesday at his bedside. Chief Johnson was 60 years old.

25 Years Ago

Feb. 17, 1958

Five Granite City school board members and Assistant Superintendent Russell D. Johnson were told Thursday night that year-round use of schools will occur, either through adoption of a quarterly program or through provision of additional studies for the fastest and slowest learners.

Below zero temperatures the past two mornings, coupled with freezing weather for nearly two weeks is overtaxing emergency equipment in the Quad-City area. One case of severe frostbite suffered by a 14-year-old boy and a damaging house fire at Ponton Beach were reported over the weekend.

10 Years Ago

Feb. 19, 1973

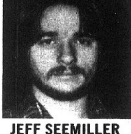
A group of residents interested in restoring older homes and developing a beautification plan for the downtown area and surrounding neighborhoods have organized the Downtown Neighborhood Restoration Society as the first phase of a long-range plan to improve the appearance of homes and increase their value.

Officers elected to lead the group of 15 couples are Walt Padgett, president, Mrs. Rogers Melford, secretary, John K. Melford, treasurer, and Mrs. Judy Padgett, historian.

Tentative objective is to contact the owners within the boundaries of 24th Street to Niedringhaus Ave. and from Adams Street to Madison Avenue and enroll them as families in the society.



Readers React



JEFF SEEMILLER



DORIS EDWARDS



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The Forum . . .

Our readers respond

Name and address must accompany each letter but will not be revealed if anonymity is requested. Comments of less than 250 words will be given preference. All are subject to condensation and grammatical changes. Those libelous or not in good taste will be rejected or edited.

Mainstreaming can hinder effective teaching

To the Editor:

This is a copy of a letter which I sent to Superintendent Davis and the Board of Education which I would also like to share with your readers.

Mr. Davis and Board of Education, as a Granite City native, a parent of students in the Granite City schools and a teacher, I feel I must write to you and voice my concerns about the recent decisions made about the schools.

The published statement that you wanted to "save programs" according to my information, is only partially true.

My first area of concern is the termination of physical education and junior high schools.

This has not only been of the utmost importance to my children, who are good students, but also to the so-called "average" students and the slow learners.

Teachers, who are already beleaguered with problems, are not going to be able to handle well in the same classroom the situation of teaching those who are borderline special education candidates along with average and academically talented students.

Mainstreaming may be the "in" thing today, but anyone who knows the problems of dealing with classrooms knows that kind of grouping short-changes everyone.

My other concern is in the area of music. I am a music teacher in another district.

I spent four years substituting in Granite City and two years as co-director of the Granite City Elementary Chorus before getting a full-time position elsewhere. I feel that I know the program well.

The elementary general music program is a model.

There is content in what is taught, and students don't just go to music class to sing a few songs. They go and learn about music, learn to appreciate music, learn musicianship skills.

Teachers in the district have told me that you are going to cut staffing so that children will have music fewer times a week than presently.

When this happens, it becomes easier and easier to find little reason to even have music in the curriculum at all.

My information, also, is that physical education will remain untouched, with some elementary schools receiving physical education as often as five times a week.

Why not deal the blow equally? One district in which I taught used the same daily block of time for PE and music, alternating, for example, music on Monday and Wednesday, PE on Tuesday and Thursday, and using alternate Fridays for one or the other.

Granite City's bands have a long, proud tradition. Without elementary band, the death knell for the entire band program will be sounded.

Is the after-school band program going to be instruction, or just a group for a few, who already know how to play?

Granite City schools have been highly regarded. I proudly say that I am a graduate.

I have known people whose lives would have been sheer misery except for what they were able to get from these schools to raise them from their circumstances.

Please consider carefully what actions are taken. They will affect people more, perhaps, than your consciences would care to consider.

JULIA TEMPELOVEN

Says water slide will aid people of Venice

To the Editor:

On Tuesday, April 9, a Venice Park Board election will be held. On the ballot also will be a \$200,000 bond issue whereby the voters decide if they want a water slide in Lee Park by voting yes or no.

As an elected park commissioner by the will of the people of Venice, I had promised to improve the park and to bring something into it that would benefit the whole community. Now here it is, and once in a lifetime opportunity.

We, the present board of commissioners, have done our job by bringing it to the public and citizens of Venice. The final decision is with the voters. It's up to them if they want to have a water slide,

improve the tennis courts, rehabilitate the whole park, which will bring new jobs, which the citizens of the Venice Park District need badly. Jobs will go only to the citizens of the Venice Park District, which is the city of Venice, North and South Venice. Think of the revenue that will come to the city.

Why should we keep trying to make excuses about taxes. We have taxes with or without the water slide. So, if we are going to pay taxes anyway, let's enjoy the benefit from our tax dollars. Our Savior, Jesus Christ, paid taxes according to the Bible, so are we better than Jesus? No, none of us.

This park board has been good to both senior citizen groups, Silver Bells and Venice. When you vote and speak out, you get what you want. The senior citizens proved that. They got their senior citizens' building. Why not let the children have a water slide? We are doing our job, keeping the children off the street corners day and night and you will have less problems in the city.

If the people of Venice work together, we will not have these personal or political disagreements. We should come together as brothers and sisters and see that this water slide passes on April 9 by voting yes.

THE REV. JOHN HENRY WILLIAMS

President, Venice Park District

Another supporter of unemployment personnel

To the Editor:

Regarding the unemployment office personnel, do the people who are complaining realize how many people are out of work, and how much paperwork is handled by these few and very busy workers at the office? They

take care of hundreds of people every day. They do not have time to talk about the "weather." They are too busy helping you fill out your papers so you can receive your checks on time.

You treat the office, as

well as the personnel with no respect. You spit on the restroom walls and scatter trash around the floor. You get angry because you have to wait for your turn. Do you abuse your own family and home in this manner?

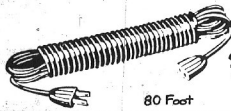
I myself receive unemployment and my

check is always on time. I receive excellent and prompt service. You should be thankful for these well-trained people who serve you. They don't make the rules — only follow them.

R. M. STULTZ
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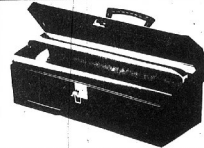
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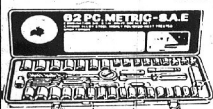
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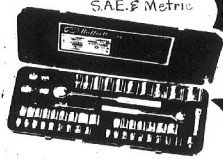
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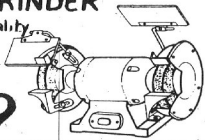
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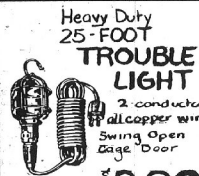
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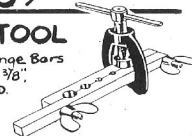
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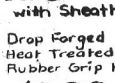


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Obituaries

Thomas Allen

Thomas Raymond Allen, 79, of Harrison Ark., a former Granite City resident, died at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 13, 1983, at the Boone County Hospital in Arkansas.

Born in Hopkinsville, Ky., Mr. Allen lived in Harrison for seven years after moving there from the Quad-City area. He worked as a machinist at American Steel Foundries before his retirement.

Mr. Allen was a member of Woodland Heights Baptist Church in Harrison and Third Baptist and New Hope Baptist churches here.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ruby (Brust) Allen of Harrison; two daughters, Mrs. Robert Akeman, Tulsa, Okla., and Linda Bennett, Springfield, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Joseph Perricone, El Cajon, Calif.; and three grandchildren. His parents, two sons, one daughter and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Feb. 15, at the Woodland Heights Baptist Church with burial in Maplewood Cemetery, Harrison, Ark. Visitation was at the Christeson Funeral Home in Harrison.

Alexander Basarich

Alexander A. Basarich, 76, a resident at Anna Henry Nursing Home in Edwardsville, formerly of Granite City, died at 2:05 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 15, 1983, at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Belleville.

A lifelong resident of Granite City, Mr. Basarich resided at the nursing home for one year and was admitted to the hospital two hours before he died.

Mr. Basarich worked as a clerk at General Steel Industries for 36 years prior to retiring in 1972.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Antonette (Simich) Basarich; one son, Robert E. Basarich of Madison; three brothers, Steve Basarich, Granite City; John Basarich of Caseyville, and Nick Basarich of Scottsdale, Ariz.; and one sister, Miss Anna Basarich of Troy, Ill.

The Rev. Thomas Suranville will conduct funeral services at 1 p.m. today at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home Chapel, 501 Madison Ave., Madison, with burial in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Katherine Buenger

Miss Katherine Buenger, 90, a resident of Bethesda Memorial Home, St. Louis, died at 2:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1983, at the facility.

She was born in Granite City and was a 40-year resident of St. Louis. Miss Buenger was a retired teacher and was a member of the Pilgrim Congregational Church in St. Louis.

Her only survivor is a niece, Mrs. Herbert (Dorothy) Richardson of Canada.

Visitation will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Alexander and Sons Town Chapel, 6175 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis.

Snow ball team deadline Monday

Monday is the deadline for teams wishing to compete in a snow ball softball tournament to be held March 5 and 6 for the benefit of the American Cancer Society.

All men's, women's and mixed teams are being invited to participate in the tournament, being sponsored by McDonald's Restaurant.

Entry forms are available at all area McDonald's or may be obtained by calling the American Cancer Society at 345-7911 or 1-800-422-0084. First, second and third place prizes of \$150, \$75 and \$50 will be awarded.

Oria Dunahue

where services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 19. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

Oria "Pop" Dunahue, 60, of Farmington, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 7:15 a.m. Monday, Feb. 14, 1983, at the Farmington Hospital. He was a patient in the Intensive Care Unit at the hospital for 53 days.

A native of Corning, Ark., Mr. Dunahue resided in Granite City from 1923 until 1943. He was a member of a Baptist church in Corning.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Rebecca Marie Dunahue; two sons, Charles Lewis Dunahue, Denver, Colo., and Robert Lee Dunahue of Overland, Mo.; one sister, Mrs. Margaret King, Hardy, Ark.; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will begin at 1 p.m. today, Feb. 17, at the Corning Funeral Home Chapel in Farmington.

Homer Jordan

Homer Jordan, 72, of 2336 W. 20th St., Ill. for one month, died at 8:15 a.m. to ill for one month, died at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he was a patient for two weeks.

Born in Elco, Ill., Mr. Jordan moved to this area in 1942. He was employed as a truck driver for St. Louis Slag Co., in Granite City, for 15 years prior to his retirement 10 years ago.

Mr. Jordan was of the Protestant faith and was a World War II U.S. Navy veteran. He held membership in the VFW Post 1390, Modern Woodmen of America and Teamsters Union, Local 525 of Alton.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Freda (Thompson) Jordan; two daughters, Mrs. Paul (Louise) Baker and Mrs. Robert (Doris Jean) Wilson, both of Granite City; a brother, Lewis Jordan, Tamm, Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. Mina Duggins, Granite City, and Mrs. Eva Newell of Newton, Ill.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2901 Madison Ave. Call 877-6500 for details.

Levi Ogle

Levi Ogle, 57, of Collinsville, was pronounced dead at 3:20 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, 1983, at the Granite City Steel plant by William Sternberg, Madison County deputy coroner. It is believed that he was working on an apparent heart attack while working.

He was born in Uniontown, Pa., and resided in Collinsville for many years. Mr. Ogle worked as a burner at the local steel plant and was a member of the Chemical Workers Union, Local 50.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Florence (Reese) Ogle; two sons, Allan Ogle, San Diego, Calif.; and Donald Ogle, San Diego, Calif.; four sisters, Dorothy Ogle, Mrs. Lou (Thelma) Wargo, Mrs. Joseph (Ruth) Barkovic

and Mrs. Edward (Evelyn) Walkos, and one brother, Clarence Ogle all of Uniontown, Pa.; and five grandchildren.

His remains were taken to Haky Funeral Home in Uniontown, Pa., where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 18. Burial will be in Sylvan Heights Cemetery, Uniontown. Herbert A. Kassy Funeral Home, 515 Vandall Ave., Collinsville, was in charge of local arrangements.

Earnest Thompson

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Walter Simpson at the Wilderness Baptist Church in Wilderness, Mo., at 1 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, for Earnest T. Thompson, 65, of Ellis Grove, Ill., father of Mrs. Wanda June Reynolds of Madison.

Mr. Thompson died Friday, Feb. 11, 1983, at Memorial Hospital in Chester, Ill.

He was a retired steelworker and a veteran of World War II. Mr. Thompson was born on April 26, 1917, in Wilderness, Mo.

Mr. Thompson and his wife, Eva Arlene Smith who survives, were married Nov. 14, 1937, in Wilderness.

Other survivors include five sons, Donald D. Thompson, Wilderness; Donald E. Thompson of Modoc, Ill.; Ronald Dean Thompson of Louisville, La.; Dallas Lee Thompson of Ellis Grove, Ill.; and Dewey Gene Thompson of Sparta, Ill.; a brother, Frank Thompson of Wilderness; two sisters, Bertha Jones of Granite City and Ruby Ingram of Russellville, Ark.; 17 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Born in Gibson County, Tenn., Mr. Thompson died of a heart attack after four sisters, three brothers and one grandchild.

Leonard Young

Leonard W. Young, 67, of Madison, was pronounced dead at home at 4:50 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, 1983, by Dr. J. Besserman, Madison County deputy coroner. Mr. Young had been ill for some time under the care of a physician.

Born in Gibson County, Tenn., Mr. Young lived in St. Louis prior to moving to Madison five years ago.

He retired in 1973 from Madison Street Warehouse in St. Louis, after 11 years of service. He was a World War II U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elsie (Canada) Young; three daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Harrison, Mrs. Sally C. Simpson and Darcey Hager, all of Madison; one brother, Willie T. Young, and a sister, Mrs. Sylvia (Myrtle) Lee Lowery, both of Bradford, Tenn.; 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

The Rev. Dan Lindsey conducted funeral services at 9:15 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Chapel, 501 Madison Ave., Madison. Burial was in National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

City hiring policy under fire

Granite City Mayor Paul Schuler was criticized in his absence Tuesday by council members angered when he hired and approved the salary of a new employee without adhering to the city's hiring policy.

The council learned Tuesday that the council secretary, Mary Jo Akeman, a Granite City Public Library Board member, had pointed, was hired Feb. 7 by Mayor Schuler.

Official notification took the form of a letter written by City Clerk Robert W. Stevens, who informed council members that Mrs. Akeman, a past part-time

employee in his office, replaced transferred to the scale. At her request, Mrs. Valle moved into a position left vacant by a retiring Treasurer's Office clerk.

"I believe it should never have gone this way and will tell the mayor in the future that the council demands to know," said Second Ward Alderman Sam Whitmer, chairing the meeting for the council heads come to the council before they hire and set salaries.

It was Whitmer's actions, however, that eventually paved the way for council approval of the hiring. In two motions made by Whitmer, aldermen allowed Mrs. Akeman's hiring, but referred her \$900 monthly salary to the city's finance committee.

Fourth Ward Alderman Warren Decatur, finance committee member, commented that the council had twice paid for updated pay scale studies to use when setting employees wages. He

questioned the wisdom of contracting the study, if the scale was not intended as a firm wage guide.

"I think it should have gone to the finance committee," Decatur said. He contended the same type of hiring problems had initiated the study in the first place. "We've been through this many times."

Fellow Fourth Ward Alderman Sharon Perjak said the council "only three or four months ago went through this with the treasurer's office and also with the street department."

Other members apparently agreed. Seventh Ward Alderman Paul Ray Bowler, former finance committee chairman, also had harsh words for the behind-the-scenes hiring. In a rising voice, Bowler told members that only the council has the power to hire city employees.

A former teacher, Bowler said, "I can assure you I can get 100 teachers with master's degrees that would be happy to work for that salary."

Clerk Stevens explained that the salary represents a median wage for a Class 2 employee. He said the new employee did get start out at the lowest end of the salary scale because of her previous experience. Mrs. Akeman worked part-time at the clerk's office selling city vehicle stickers during peak buying periods.

State urges EPA to drop bans

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will urge its federal parent agency to abandon a possible industrial construction moratorium planned as a penalty for poor air quality here.

The Granite City Council speaker Jim Maloney, while the healthful condition of the air quality should be a concern, First Ward Alderman Casmer Skubish, former Granite City Steel employee and chairman of the council's air pollution committee, said, "Our image and our future is what we really have to deal with."

Skubish had requested the appearance of Maloney after the alarm had become alarmed by Granite City Township's inclusion on the U.S. EPA's Feb. 3 "hit list" of places eligible for sanctions, due to their failure to comply with the Dec. 31, 1982, Clean Air Act deadline.

Granite City also is likely to find itself on another list marked for possible sanctions of highway construction funds and wastewater treatment plant grants, due to its past ozone offense record.

"I always felt the Clean Air Act...in some cases, has caused problems," Skubish said, "but in no way has ever helped us with our problems."

Skubish commented that industrial areas are not afforded the same "resort area," Third Ward Alderman Paul Fisk speculated that while residents are aware the city has "a lot of pollution here," they make a choice to live in the city for employment.

Maloney encouraged aldermen to make their feelings known to the EPA before March 21 deadline for appeals to the possible construction sanctions. Any time after that date, the U.S. EPA could decide to impose sanctions, but Maloney doubts any decision will be made until the federal agency has at least "a few months" to consider guidelines.

The EPA also may never have intended to impose sanctions, instead using the sanction threat to rally public sentiment against the Clean Air Act — a political idea that "most believe," according to Skubish.

"In that regard, I imagine it's working," he said. Some others believe the federal EPA intends to cancel out the sanctions as a much quicker pace than anticipated, perhaps this year.

Most of Madison County has a problem attaining federal standards for total suspended particulates (TSPs), Maloney said. TSPs are particles of varying size and chemical composition that float in the air. Respiratory and cancer-related problems have been associated with TSPs.

"Granite City is 'significantly over' the TSP allowable standards, with the highest count in the state in 1981. However, Maloney said, according to 1982 data being compiled, the level of TSPs in the air here also has improved "significantly."

Giving an example, he said the allowable federal health standards are 75 micrograms per cubic meter. One particular monitor in the city had registered from 215 to 170 in past readings, but measured only 136 this year.

The state is basing its appeal to the federal EPA not to impose sanctions here due to the drop in TSP readings and other expected improvements by industry here, according to Maloney. He cited the alternate emission controls or bubble air plan being enacted by Granite City Steel Division of National Steel.

The state will emphasize that an industrial construction ban here could actually hinder progress for air quality, because new equipment might be replacing antiquated polluting equipment, according to Maloney. Even with improved readings and some industrial improvements,

Maloney does not foresee that year, we (county) federal health standards in the near future.

However, the state already believes Madison County now is in compliance with federal ozone standards, although the county has been cited as a federal violator. That stance is being taken by the EPA because it does not accept an ozone clean-up plan that ignores

automobile inspections. "Last year, we (county) didn't have an ozone violation and don't expect any this year," Maloney said. Third Ward Alderman Carl Kittel, pollution committee member, was the only alderman to question the state's defense of and rather optimistic outlook of the city's air quality that has habitually been rated the worst in the state.

GC schools seek fewer mandates

The Granite City Board of Education decided Tuesday night to actively seek state changes—including a reduction of education mandates—in line with goals of the Large Unit District Association, of which District Nine is a member.

State Rep. J. J. Davis, who attended a meeting of the group in Springfield, said LUDA objectives would be beneficial to education in Illinois and to Granite City and other large districts.

Goals include approval and implementation of State Board of Education staff recommendations in the board's Phase I mandates study. Greater flexibility would be provided in such areas as physical education and driver education.

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Authority to obtain tax anticipation warrants for the building fund was given by the Granite City Board of Education on Tuesday night.

The 1982-83 budget projected utilization of \$578,000 in first-year tax warrants for operations, maintenance and bond issues.

The board voted to issue \$200,000 in such warrants as needed, beginning this week. Additional borrowing will be considered later.

The board requested \$1,000 from the state adult, vocational and technical education department to send 10 to 15 vocational teachers to the Illinois Vocational Association conference Aug. 15-19.

For studies related to high school and junior high school curriculum consolidation, authority will be sought from the region and state to hold a half-day in-service training session March 24 for secondary teachers. Elementary parent-teacher conferences will take place the same day.

In addition to reviewing curriculum issues, the junior high and high school teachers will spend the time planning for maximum use of existing teaching materials and instructional equipment. Warren Collins, instructional services administrator, said.

Officials will seek state assistance to accelerate students' computer literacy and high-technology competence.

They hope to retain authority and responsibility for collective bargaining at the local district level, and to encourage the state to make a separate appropriation for funding of the teacher retirement system.

Federal legislation will be supported to recognize the importance of public school education as a "keystone of good public policy."

The officials hope to achieve greater support for vocational and technical education, and more funding for Chapter I (Title I) federal programs in the schools. They oppose tuition tax credits for parents of non-public school pupils.

In its effort to promote "adequate financial support for Illinois public schools," the Large Unit District Association has nine priorities:

1. Support a state income tax of at least 3 1/2 percent on personal income and at least 5.5 percent on corporations.

2. Seek legislation enabling unit districts to levy from three to nine cents per \$100 valuation for energy-utility costs in a three-year, phased-in program.

3. Continue to press for equity (with dual systems) in funding for unit school systems.

4. Support legislation to provide relief to districts for state and local utility and communication taxes.

5. Seek full funding of mandated categorical programs.

6. Advocate an increase to 75 for Chapter I weighting in the state aid formula.

7. Urge restoration of the corporate personal property tax replacement level to the replacement plan's original corporate income tax rate, 2.85 percent of income instead of 2.5.

8. Support expansion of the definition of children entitled to tuition costs paid by the

Kittel attacked both the federal and state "rubber stamp" approach to "continuous requests" by local districts to extend compliance deadlines well beyond the Clean Air Act deadline.

Maloney replied that the IEPA was merely complying with a "stretch out" compliance period approved by Congress for steel industries nationwide.

state. The expansion would include children residing in foster family homes.

9. Back expanded cooperation with the State Board of Education, including evaluating reports of the Public School Finance Project.

Students to sell formal Saturday

The third annual sale of formal gowns by students from both Granite City high schools will take place from 10 a.m. until noon Saturday, Feb. 19, in the girls' gymnasium at Granite City High School South.

Nearly 200 gowns exchanged hands in last year's sale. The publicly sponsored sale is designed to help students wishing to sell a dress are required to bring the formal to the gym and the Saturday to allow time for sizing and tagging. Terry Papa, faculty sponsor, said. She added that the seller also must be present during the sale period, or place the gown in care of someone else.

The event is designed to allow students an opportunity to purchase or sell a gown at reduced cost. Many have been worn only on one or two occasions and are suitable for various social functions. All sales are final and cash only is accepted, Mrs. Papa said.

Refreshments will be served. Anyone interested in music is welcome. For additional information, call Carolyn at 877-4650.

ORGAN PEDALERS TO MEET MONDAY

The AOA Organ Pedalers Club will meet Monday, Feb. 21, 7 p.m., at 2100 Cleveland Blvd. It was planned at the January meeting that every one, regardless of their ability would play something pertaining to Valentine's Day, with love, red, heart, moon, roses, etc. in the title.

Refreshments will be served. Anyone interested in music is welcome. For additional information, call Carolyn at 877-4650.

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3 asked to resign

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other than snow removal to honor the contract," he stated.

Adams also alleged before the audience of about 40 persons that Mehelec has used township gasoline in his personal truck and has coached other township employees to lie about the amount of township gasoline they receive. "He's admitted publicly that he fills his personal truck with township gas," Adams said. "Three employees have told me that Mehelec has told them if they get 15 gallons of gas to write down that they got 20," he said. Adams suggested that all employees be required to log the amount of gas used, the time it was taken and the name of the employee. He also requested that Mehelec bring documentation of gasoline expenses to the first meeting of every month.

"There are hundreds and hundreds of gallons of gas going out of here that are not being used in township vehicles," Adams said. "I think it's about time that Mehelec show us where that gas is going."

Adams indicated that Mehelec gets approximately \$2,400 per year for expenses and stated that it was sufficient to cover gasoline expenses. "He gets an allowance and he turns around and uses township fuel," Adams alleged. "I think that's a double dipping."

Mehelec's attorney, H. Carl Runge Jr., who was present at the meeting, indicated that Mehelec should not be required to bring in the documentation because the highway department is a separate governing entity. "We do not intend to come in here with a cart of documentation," Runge said. "I think it's illegal of you to pursue this. The highway department is a separate piece of the township government."

Runge did state, however, that if the township officials provided Mehelec with a list, Mehelec would be able to produce the necessary materials. "We will abide by the statutes. If you have an agenda, we would have the necessary information available for

you," Runge stated. Mehelec explained that he told township employees to report taking extra gallons of gas when they would carry them in their vehicles. "I would tell them to make sure they didn't forget to account for that extra gas," Mehelec contended. "Adams didn't get the whole story straight."

Mehelec admitted filling his personal truck with township gas, explaining that he was saving the township money in the long run. "I use my own truck for township business," he stated. "I bought my own truck and pay for my own insurance. I could just purchase a truck for the township and use it all of the time. That way, the township would pay for all of the upkeep. I'd just use the truck for work and then take it home and park it. By the township only paying for my gas, we're saving money," he said.

Adams then requested that Mehelec provide a sworn affidavit attesting to the validity of vehicle batteries purchased since 1980. He has a list of 16 batteries Mehelec bought just within the last year, Adams said. "We only have about 11 pieces of equipment and all of the batteries come with a three-year warranty," he contended.

Mehelec explained that the battery purchases were justified. "Some of the batteries blow up due to the nature of the equipment," he said. "Many of the batteries are stolen, but we don't report them so we can deduct them. The pilferage is some of it," he stated.

The board then voted 3 to 2 on a motion made by Adams requesting Mehelec's resignation. Harry Briggs said he was in favor of the resignation and Lillian Singer, a resident of Nameoki Township who had recently accused Mehelec with illegally using township crews to work on private property in

Chouteau Township, defended Mehelec and accused Adams of conspiring with other members of the board to publicly embarrass Mehelec. She then suggested that Adams resign. "You don't do anything for this board but make trouble," she said. "Why don't you resign?" Mehelec's attorney pressed Adams to take his information to court. "If you have any information, you know what to do with it," Runge said. "Do something constructive with it. There's a way to do it if you're right and can prove it," he said.

Mehelec admitted that the accusations are annoying to him. "If you sit on your hands and don't do anything, you never get into trouble," he said. "I do things and somebody has to take the heat, but I've really been getting harassed these last few meetings."

He also said that he believes Adams brought up all of these charges as a political move. "It's close to election time and we are political enemies," Mehelec said. "He'll get all of his political mileage out of this and then drop it."

In voice discussion, Helen Hawkins voiced disapproval in the manner in which Attorney Richard Allen was selected to represent the township in the lawsuit filed against Granite City concerning ambulance charges. According to Mrs. Hawkins, the decision was made by phone calls, not by official board action, and that she did not know of the decision until after it had been made. "We are not supposed to vote on things like this, not call around and vote over the phone," she said. "I don't like the way things like this are done around here."

Supervisor Harry Briggs defended the action, saying that he was forced to make a decision because of the time element involved. "We had to get this suit filed within a short time, and we had no choice," he said, adding, "I didn't want to take a chance of losing out on this case."



FRANK MEHELC, highway commissioner of Nameoki Township, standing in the doorway, defends himself during allegations hurled by board members during a heated meeting of the Nameoki Town Board Monday night. Seated is Town Clerk Douglas Teeter. Approximately 40 persons attended the meeting at which the board voted 4-3 to ask for Mehelec's resignation. (Press-Record Photo by Pat Hay Lyle)

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MISSIONARY MEETING

Mrs. Connie McBride was hostess to the Pontoon Baptist Missionary Women this at a decision because of the time element involved. "We had to get this suit filed within a short time, and we had no choice," he said, adding, "I didn't want to take a chance of losing out on this case."

A luncheon was served to Mesdames Leta Kollenburn, Barbara Chandler, Agnes Lindsay, Jennie Schott, Ruth Wolfe, Juanita Craycraft and Sylvia Massman.

The home of Mrs. Carole Cuccati was the scene of a party hosted by her daughter, Mrs. Angela Pacotte. Guests were Mesdames Glenna Staggs, Leola Tucker, Lucille Martin, Chris Knuacha, Edna Perkins and daughter, Tracey, Becky Lancaster, Debbie Jordan and daughter, April, and Misses Darla Staggs and Tonya Cuccati.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene (Doris) Ross have returned from a cruise on the S.S. Rhinapod. They were accompanied by Lyle Paisley of Springfield. Points of interest visited were Jamaica, Grand Cayman Island and Cozumel, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fine and son, Mike, have returned from Mexico. Mo. They visited his mother Mrs. Pearl Fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Chaney and daughters Jill and Jennifer, and friends in their home this week.

A luncheon was served to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones and daughter, Lisa, Maxine Green, Paul and Izetta Staydahur, Ralph and Juanita Craycraft, Doris and Jean Hargrave, Chris Sorry, Mike Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Schott, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McBride and son, Buddy, and Marcia Thomas. Games were played.

Doctor degree to former resident

A former Granite City resident and the recipient of French manuscripts at the Louisiana State Museum in New Orleans is among recipients of doctoral degrees from Northern Illinois University, DeKalb.

Steven G. Reinhardt, who received a Ph.D. degree in history, also holds a bachelor of arts degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and a master of arts degree from the University of Wisconsin. Fifteen months of research in the French archives formed the basis for Reinhardt's dissertation on crime and royal justice in 18th century France. He is the son of Mike and Edith Reinhardt, 3817 Village Lane.

Brimberry illness delays trials again

Thomas Brimberry will not have his day in court until late April or early May because his health has deteriorated, federal authorities said. Brimberry is said to have diabetes.

Brimberry, the main figure in the Six & Co. securities fraud, and James Massa, a Collinsville attorney, will be tried at about the same time because of the closeness of the two cases, authorities say.

U.S. District Judge William Beatty, already delayed the trial once and last week ordered that Brimberry be transferred to the U.S. Medical Center for Federal Prisoners at Springfield, Mo., for medical treatment.

He had been held in the St. Clair County Jail on a \$2 million bail. He is charged with lying to a grand jury and obstructing justice in the brokerage swindle that caused the collapse of Six & Co. The trial was to begin Feb. 22 in Alton.

APARTMENT LOOTED

A burglar who broke a door stole seven pairs of jeans from the apartment of Marie Sanders at 945 Niedringhaus Ave., Alton, Wednesday.

Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

GIRLS
Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Davidson, 1201 Rhodes St., Feb. 14, Rebekah Leah, seven pounds, three ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Sunderland, St. Louis, Feb. 16, Jessica Lynn, eight pounds, 10 ounces.

Course on safe boating

An eight-week safe boating course will be offered by the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary and the SIUE campus Recreation Office, 692-2023. Sessions will begin Monday, Feb. 28, at the university.

The course will include lessons on boat handling, waterway rules, navigation aids, and the state and federal requirements for boating.

The course meets the requirements of the new Illinois Youth Boating Law, which requires youths between the ages of 12 and 18 to complete a safe boating course in order to operate a motorboat.

Certificates will be awarded by the Auxiliary to those completing the course. Sessions will meet each Monday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Mississippi Room of the University Center. The \$10 fee includes the textbook and workbook required for the course.

ATTEND SEMINAR IN PUERTO VALLARTA

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. (Connie) Strotheide have returned from Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, where the doctor participated in a week-long seminar on pain control, sponsored by a tour of the Illinois Chiropractic Society.

While there, the local couple also attended a reception, followed with a tour of an orthopedics ward at a local hospital.

Mrs. Strotheide noted that with the peso devaluation to 140 pesos to one U.S. dollar, most food, clothing and everyday items were bargained priced to the North American visitors.

She reported a lobster dinner costs about \$9, while a fine steak was priced about \$5 and soft drinks, such as a Coke, were less than 25 cents each.

Dr. Strotheide has offices at 3412 Nameoki Road.

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(the allegations) and say, 'there is a problem here.'"

According to Burns, he has talked to a cross section of former employees in Weber's office, including those who left amicably and those who left — and continue to be — unhappy with the way Weber runs the office.

He also is thinking about calling Darling to confirm the allegations, he said. Weber has repeatedly said that Darling's motives are "sour grapes," because Miss Rullison took over his job after he left the office. Darling, however, contends he was fired and that Miss Rullison was the one who told him he was terminated.

In denying the allegations, Weber said that Cuetio also has a personal vendetta against him.

When questioned about his personal feelings concerning Weber, Burns, who is an attorney, said he should resign. "Since Don Weber has been in office I haven't had a single case with him. It's always been one of his assistants," he said.

"Weber can run his office however he wants to, he's an elected official," Burns said and added that determining budgets is the county board's one method of control over elected officials. Although board action on the allegations

was delayed with the approval to withdraw the petition, the circuit judges already have decided to forward Cuetio's letter and Weber's response to the Illinois Attorney General's office.

Burns said that office has no power to take action on the circuit court, at the request of the county board, names the attorney general as special prosecutor, which is a recommendation in the petition.

According to the resolution, which also was included on Wednesday's agenda, Burns would present the county board's point of view in any court proceeding.

Bishop visit

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Granite City elementary school during his visit to the Quad-City area Wednesday were unknown. The bishop was unaware of the parents group or their efforts prior to Wednesday night.

A group of about 80 people met early this week at St. Elizabeth Church to discuss the matter.

Yehling said that B. J. Davis, superintendent of schools in Granite City, had been asked about the availability of the school buildings which are being closed next year by the school

district to reduce costs. The official "top-down" that Lake and Nameoki schools would be available for lease" after the end of this school year, Yehling said.

Most students from the Quad-Cities who attend a Catholic high school now go to either Marquette High School in Alton or Assumption High School in East St. Louis. School students even attend schools in St. Louis.

The diocese must be involved in any attempt to open a high school here.

Many local parishioners feel that the Quad-Cities area is far from a Catholic secondary education. They feel that the large Catholic population in this area and the fact that children must travel long hours and distances to get a Catholic education is reason enough for a local high school.

A meeting has been set for 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, at the St. Elizabeth school cafeteria for the committees, formed last Sunday, to discuss their preliminary evaluation of the matter.

County board approves a policy to dismiss appointed officials

By NANCY WEIL

of the Press-Record

Some Madison County Board members have decided to determine that the procedure they approved Wednesday for dismissing appointed officials would help in resolving the continuing conflict concerning County Supervisor of Assessments James W. Barton.

While the board probably will utilize the procedure in the Barton case, there is a state statute that provides for dismissal of a supervisor of assessments, Marshall "Zeke" Smith, assistant state's attorney, told the board yesterday.

It was believed by some board members that such a procedure was necessary to pursue the Barton case, but Smith said the policy actually arose because of several other dismissals during the last two years.

A resolution to dismiss Barton, who was accused by a grand jury for bribery and conspiracy, was presented to the board several months ago by H. Jack Frandsen (D-Alhambra), but it was determined that the personnel committee should develop a policy before the board could take action.

Smith said after Wednesday's meeting that Barton could be fired on a two-thirds vote of the board without evidence or reasons for his dismissal, because any hint of political pressure would taint the position.

Board members were told by Smith to "forget Barton and (State's Attorney) Don Weber."

Smith added that the

reason for the written policy was to establish guidelines to avoid problems occurring in the past when county employees have been fired and then filed suit on discrimination charges.

The policy calls for a hearing before the personnel committee. If the accused official, or his representative, appears at the hearing, the committee would then forward its findings to the executive committee. Should the employee fail to appear, the personnel committee would report directly to the board for its recommendation or action. Fred Dalton (D-Collinsville), personnel committee chairman, said.

Barton said he plans to ask the committee members to suggest that Barton be invited to a hearing, even though he said he would not have to be followed in his case.

The hearing could take place during the first two weeks of March. Smith, however, said he doubts that Barton would appear at a hearing.

Speaking as an attorney, he said he would recommend that a client not speak in such a hearing. "I'm sure he'll say no," Smith said of Barton.

At the following board meeting, a vote could be taken and, if two-thirds of the members vote for Barton's ouster, "We could then proceed to dismiss him," he said.

Frandsen said after the meeting that Barton himself could request a hearing if such a two-thirds vote was

achieved, even if he declines to appear at a prior hearing. Barton has been accused of acting as the chairman in an effort by William Nichols, a Madison landowner, to influence the vote

Enter cars at shopping center

Four motorists reported at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday that their vehicles were entered or broken into at a shopping center. The vehicles were parked outside the Nameoki Bingo Center, 20 Nameoki Shopping Center.

A. J. Floyd of Alton reported a glove box in his Lincoln Continental was loaded of \$251 in food stamps and a book of blank checks; Erma Bernaux, 305 Sunny Street, reported a Honda Civic had a battery stolen from her Buick.

The locking mechanisms on vehicles owned by Helen Paschedag, 3013 Maryville Road, and Roberta Fleck, 2607 Sheridan Ave., both were damaged in efforts to "punch" door locks on the autos.

SNOWBLOWER STOLEN

Steve Szaz, 1717 Walnut St., reported at 1:05 p.m. Monday that a garage and storage shed at his home were burglarized and various items were missing, including a snowblower, valued at \$250, a circular saw worth \$70, a drill, electric plugs and fixtures, a pipe threader kit and several other hand tools. A vehicle in the garage also was entered, he said.

Chili, taco dinner set for Saturday

The St. Joseph's Booster Club of St. Joseph's Church, 2101 State St., will hold a chili and taco dinner Saturday in the church basement.

The all-you-can-eat dinner will include chili or tacos, drink and dessert. Donations will be \$2.75 per adult, \$1.50 per child ages 5 to 12, and free for children under 5.

Serving time will be from 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Proceeds of the dinner will be given to St. Joseph's Church.

WORKSHOP SERIES BY EASTERN SEAL GROUP

The Eastern Seal Society of Northwestern Illinois in Cooperation with SIUE is presenting a workshop series at the University Center's Maple Room for physically and mentally handicapped individuals, sensory impaired, parents and professionals.

Topics and dates are: legal rights for the disabled, Feb. 22; financial assistance and Social Security issues, March 15; adapting your way toward independence, April 5; and leisure and recreational programming for the disabled, May 3. Hours are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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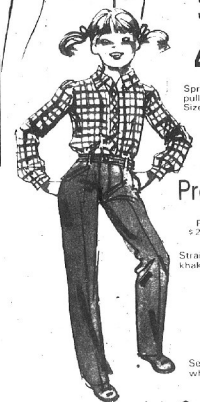


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People receiving Social Security benefits who worked and earned more than the earnings limit during 1982 are required to file reports of their earnings with the Social Security Administration by April 15.

For a number of reasons, it is important that the report is accurate and reflects realistic planning, a spokesman said this week at the office in East St. Louis, 224-4100.

"The report is essentially a statement of last year's earnings. It also includes information on how much you expect to earn this year."

"Social Security uses the information to determine if your past checks were in the right amount and whether benefits are due this year," he said.

"In general, people 65 and over who earned under \$6,000 last year do not need to report; this is also true for people under 65 who earned under \$4,440 and people who were 72 and over during all of 1982."

"Earnings over the earnings limit will cause benefits to be reduced \$1 for every \$2 in excess earnings."

"In 1983, the earnings limits are \$6,000 for people 65 and over and \$4,440 for beneficiaries under age 65. The age at which the earnings test no longer applies is now 70."

"People who do not take the time to file realistic

estimates of current year earnings risk receiving benefit overpayments — money to which they are not entitled."

"The law requires that overpayments be repaid to Social Security. Generally, this is done by withholding portions of future checks until the full amount is repaid."

"However, if it is shown that the failure to report was intentional, a person may be prosecuted for fraud."

"During the past year, the Social Security Administration stepped up its efforts to collect debts owed the government and to detect, and prevent fraud. The agency collected \$1 billion in overpayments in 1981-82 and obtained 284 criminal convictions for fraud during calendar year 1981."

"The best way to avoid overpayments is to report any change in your earnings that is significantly different from what you've already estimated."

"It is true that Social Security has records of all your earnings reported by your employers. But if you wait until Social Security notifies you that you've been overpaid, the overpayment is usually substantially more than it would have been if you had reported the change in earnings when you learned of it."

"Changes can be reported to any Social Security office by phone or in person."

School staff reviewing its
subject area qualifications

With March 22 honorable dismissal notices approaching for 136 Granite City teachers, qualification requirements are receiving increasing attention from faculty members.

Transcripts of instructors' educational credits outline the types of college courses they have taken, and show which classes they are eligible to teach.

Dismissals will be based on seniority and on the school district's need for the particular kind of instruction an individual is qualified to provide.

Numerous faculty members are certified to teach more than one specialty.

All the teachers have at least a bachelor degree. Many have master degrees and several have doctoral degrees.

Minimum requirements for elementary teachers are a valid certificate for the grade level to be taught and formal training in each basic instruction area to be taught.

For junior high school teachers, the minimum requirement along with a bachelor degree is 18 semester hours in the area of the major teaching assignment, including at least five semester hours in each course where the subject areas are divided into two or more specific courses.

In regard to high school teachers, minimum requirements in particular fields include 16 semester hours for safety and driver education teachers and 18 semester hours for reading specialists and media professionals.

Twenty semester hours are required to teach a foreign language, health education, mathematics,

physical education or psychology.

A minimum of 24 semester hours is stipulated in Illinois State Board of Education Document One for art, business education, English-language arts, journalism, speech, health occupations education, industrial arts, vocal music, instrumental music, biological science, physical science, general science and social studies.

A media specialist must have a standard special certificate with library science, media teaching endorsement and 32 semester hours in this field.

Individuals employed in reimbursable special education programs must hold appropriate certification.

School psychologists, social workers and guidance counselors must hold a Type 10 or Type 73 certificate with the appropriate endorsement.

In training programs, instructional personnel are required to have at least 2,000 hours of employment experience in the occupational specialty, while cooperative teacher coordinators must have 16 semester hours in the field and 2,000 hours of employment experience.

Many of the requirements are detailed. For example, the 24 semester hours in social studies must include 16 in history (eight semester hours American history and eight hours world history) if history is to be taught.

Also in the 24 social studies hours, to teach civics, economics or geography, a teacher needs eight hours of civics, eight of economics or eight of geography, depending on the subject to be taught.

VA is offering vocational
rehabilitation counseling

Veterans receiving compensation for service-connected disability may be eligible for vocational rehabilitation counseling benefits under Veterans Administration programs, according to VA Administrator Harry N. Walters.

The new VA chief pointed out that the purpose of the vocational rehabilitation program is to assist disabled veterans to overcome any employment handicap they may have which resulted from their service-connected disability.

The basic period of eligibility for vocational rehabilitation services has been extended up to 12 years following discharge from active duty or the date the veteran was notified of entitlement to VA compensation for the disability — which is later. The period may be adjusted if the veteran received an upgrad-

ed discharge or was unable to enter or complete training for a period of time because of his or her medical condition.

The VA provides evaluation and counseling to assist in development of a comprehensive rehabilitation plan designed to suit the disabled veteran's particular needs.

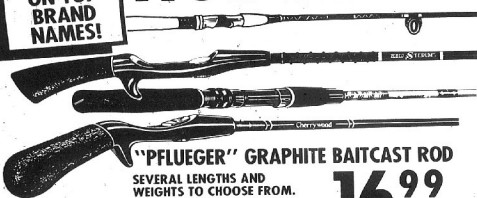
INDIAN CUISINE
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Madison Fire Department plans open house in March

An open house tour of the Madison Volunteer Fire Department is planned for Saturday and Sunday, March 5 and 6, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fire Chief Mike Macek announced at the Madison City Council meeting Tuesday night.

He said the public is being invited to visit the facility, which has been renovated, painted and repaired during recent months. The new ambulance is fully equipped with medical supplies and radio — with be on display, he added.

Macek invited the mayor and aldermen to a preview tour of the department prior to the next council meeting on March 1.

The training program for 1982 included 25 general practice sessions with an average attendance of 18 men, and eight EMT classes averaged 13 men in attendance, Macek explained.

His annual report noted there are 23 firemen manning the station, including nine trained in EMT procedures. Of the seven cadets, there are two cadet firefighters and five cadet firefighters involved in the EMT program.

Mayor Mike Sasyk announced he will attend a meeting today in Edwardsville of the Southern Illinois Area Wide Business

Development Finance Corp. The corporation is designed to assist new firms with loans up to 40 percent to coincide with bank loans of 50 percent in an effort to promote economic development for small or new business, he explained.

Fifth Ward Alderman Donald Garrett addressed the council in conjunction with the repairing and paving of Biessel Street since the underpass now is open to traffic. In answer to the inquiry, Mayor Sasyk said the paving will begin in the spring, when weather is better.

Traffic was detoured over Klein Avenue and Biessel Street during the summer and fall months while work was being completed on the underpass, causing damage to heavily-traveled streets.

During the meeting, Fifth Ward Alderman Charles Rockett expressed concern about the continued litter from automobiles and people along the streets and alleys.

Aug. 17, the mayor announced strict enforcement of the anti-litter ordinance in Madison with arrests and prosecution for those who disregard the law and, in December, the council directed City Attorney Casper, Nighossian to submit a cost estimate to update all existing ordinances.

In August, Mayor Sasyk

said those arrested for littering could pay a fine of from \$25 to \$500 and, at the meeting Tuesday night, he told Rockett the fines must be increased to convince people to obey the law. Alderman Garrett told the council that many Madison residents have been forced to drop out of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville because of transportation problems. "I think we should investigate the possibility of a bus route in this area so students will be able to continue their education," Garrett said.

Mayor Sasyk said he feels sure that the Madison County Transit District will be receptive to a request for bus transportation, if the names of students in the Venice, Madison and Granite City areas could be documented and prove there is a need for a new bus route to the university.

BURGLAR TAKES CASH

A burglar obtained \$1,500 in cash, many American and Mexican coins and a bottle of prescription drugs Wednesday evening, Howard Jungels, 1331 Lindell Blvd., discovered. Entry was gained by breaking glass in a door.

13 school retirements

Thirteen retirements were approved Tuesday night by the Granite City Board of Education, including five effective this year.

Gladys Campbell, a GCHS North cafeteria employee with 16 years' employment in the district, is to retire April 1; Helen Favier and Beth Spengler, GCHS South secretaries, May 31; Dorothy Varnum Anderson, Logan lower intermediate teacher, June 4; and Jacqueline Thompson, Frohardt School secretary, June 10.

Helen Favier, South library secretary, has been a school employee ten years; Beth Spengler, attendance secretary, has worked in the district for 21 years. Dorothy Alderman notes that "it was a joy to share enthusiasm with little children and many creative and talented teachers."

Retiring at the end of the 1983-84 school year will be Ruth L. Crawford, Grigsby Junior High school nurse.

Plans to retire Dec. 31, 1984, were approved for Betty L. Williams, a secretary in the Board of Education office. A secretary in the school system for 14 years, she regards District Nine as "one of the finest school districts in Illinois."

At the end of the 1984-85 year, LeRoy Fordyce will retire as a Mitchell School upper intermediate teacher; he regards it as an "excellent school system." Mary Kawala, a board office secretary, will retire June 30, 1985. She works in the audio-visual department.

Those with June 30, 1986, retirement plans are George Grogan, a painter, and Howard L. Hale and Frank Honchak, members of the maintenance staff.

Alfred E. Fuller, teacher at the Mitchell School learning center, will retire at the close of the 1985-86 school year, when he will have been "involved in the teaching profession for over 40 years at every level from kindergarten to the college level." "I sincerely hope I shall have contributed as much to both the profession and the district as they have contributed to me."

VENICE CHEESE PLAN

Venice Township officials have announced that they are issuing free cheese eligibility cards this week from 9 to noon daily through Friday at the township office, 1502 Fifth St. Persons who qualify and have properly filled out their cards may pick up free cheese Tuesday, beginning at 9 a.m.

ministrative and non-certificated jobs, and a review of overall debt and operating costs.

March 22 for budget adoption and the honorary dismissal of 203 or more staff members effective in June.

Six of the 18 schools are to be closed and class size is to be increased to a range of 30 to 35 students next fall. Supt. B. J. Davis said after the meeting that faculty members' suggestions will be sought on the extent of academic-progress grouping within particular grade or subject. No decision has been made on 1983-84 "phasing" policy, he stressed.

Davis said a list of potential district is being circulated by some teachers but is not factual or authorized. It fails to adequately take into account subject area qualifications which are to be considered along with seniority, he added.

One real estate firm has been soliciting home sale business from those named in the unofficial list as being likely to lose their jobs, board members said.

The tentative budget for the coming fiscal year appropriates \$26,888,862 for education costs, \$2,189,200 for buildings, \$1,325,422 for transportation, \$67,325 for municipal retirement and \$156,654 for working cash.

Revenue, balances and transfers are estimated at \$31,433,719, including \$26,888,862 education, \$2,189,200 building fund, \$1,325,422 transportation, \$67,325 retirement and \$156,654 working cash.

Warrants issued against future taxes could provide \$7,247,776 of this amount, including \$6,451,763 education and \$796,013 building fund warrants, the tentative budget says.

Schools trim budget

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A public hearing is to be held at 7:30 p.m. March 22. In the meantime, the budget will be on display.

The final 1982-83 budget called for expenditures of \$29,924,019, or \$5,392,494 more than the expected accrued revenue.

David L. Melton, a critic of the school closures, was permitted to read a statement he had presented at an outdoor meeting Feb. 10.

He did not directly answer the board on why he had not spoken out at a Jan. 17 cost reduction hearing, but repeated his Feb. 1 and Feb. 10 requests for release of additional background data to the public.

During questioning by board members, he said he favors a 60-cent tax rate increase election and defended his estimate that cost cuts and a higher rate could yield \$5,500,000.

Based on a \$273 million tax base, 60 cents on the dollar would raise \$1,638,000, Supt. Davis said later. He related that he will prepare a more detailed response.

Monroe Worthington and other board members said a referendum would be inappropriate while 40 percent of school capacity is not in use.

David Melton, a McDonnell Douglas Corp. procurement employee unrelated to anyone on the board, said he favors an average class size of 25. He said he does not necessarily want the board to keep all 18 buildings in operation, but thinks six are too many to close.

The superintendent said all public information is made available to citizens, adding that copies of documents are provided at 35 cents a page to offset direct costs.

He said Attorney William Beatty Jr. will answer an attorney representing

"concerned citizens." The citizens' lawyer is seeking information on the school system.

A man who said he was the husband of Mrs. Bonnie Burgess complained that given "half of the audit," in a visit to the administrative office building, Melton added that he had run into problems and costs in obtaining financial information on which he has based his proposals.

Board members said informally that erroneous assumptions and conclusions permeated Melton's review. They said he apparently is basing some of his approach on drastic alteration of items already committed, and in many cases already spent, for the present school year.

During Tuesday night's meeting, Melton said his estimate of a \$3 million debt might have to be adjusted to nearly \$9 million but that he nevertheless disagrees with the board's stand.

When he asked how officials could have allowed the financial condition to deteriorate so extensively, Board Member David Partney said it was due to "listening to people like you (cost-cut opponents)," and also due to unexpected state financial cutbacks.

The board met publicly from 7:30 to 8:20, with about 60 persons present, and then conducted an executive session until 10:40 on employment, litigation and negotiations.

Supt. Davis said afterward that the district is receiving numerous inquiries about the possible availability of various buildings for multi-year leases. No decisions have been made.

Students' ideas will be obtained as preparations are made to consolidate the two high schools, he related.

Nesco surpasses record

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headquarters. "John, we did it, 5,013. No sir, I would not kid you, I have the press sitting across the desk from me. I wouldn't kid in front of the press. We did it. No sir, I know it's right there. We did it, and possible," Albright stated, his words interspersed with laughter.

Word of the corporate headquarters spread quickly. In a moment, Robert Bregman, chairman of the board of Plant Industries was in Arghyris' office. "That's right, that's that's 5,013 drums a minute," Albright relayed.

After he hung up, he stated, "The chairman of the board is coming out personally to congratulate each man. Probably on the 27th of February," if he can wait that long."

Albright said that he came to Granite City three months ago and immediately set three goals: 1) to develop a working relationship between the unions and management; 2) to increase the number of barrels manufactured per day; and 3) to retain the quality for which Reliable Nesco is known.

He said Steelworkers Local 102 and its officers, Kenny Carr, president, and John Clark, vice president, worked closely with him. "The men were willing to sacrifice more than they had to. They were willing to reduce, if necessary, the number of work days,

making more barrels on fewer days. That was not necessary. We have been able to maintain a three-day work week this week we achieved a four-day work week," Albright said.

The men wanted to prove that the equipment and their will could make it work. They did," he said and noted that all engineering data suggested that 4,500 barrels a day was "100 percent production. That's all the equipment could produce."

He stressed that the 5,013 barrels manufactured Tuesday did not go into a warehouse or into storage. They went directly into tractor-trailers for immediate delivery to Nesco's customers. Each barrel was on the production line only 32 minutes from its forming until it was loaded onto a truck. Another 3,500 barrels were made and delivered Wednesday.

The plant manager then entered and announced that the day yielded 11,91 barrels per man per hour. "That's fabulous," Albright responded.

He added, "I'm proud of these guys. They have shown us what records are and how much we have to work as a team and all have personal input into this."

"We let the industry and people know we're alive. The industry isn't dead. We're very much alive," Albright concluded.

Dumpster law enforcement begins March 1

Landlords have only until March 1 to install trash dumpsters at apartments with three or more households units, according to City Inspector Emerald Daves.

Although the city has been encouraging immediate compliance with its new law requiring dumpsters for apartment buildings, no penalties have yet been enforced.

Violators of the trash container ordinance could be subjected to fines ranging from \$5 to \$100 for each violation. Each day in violation is counted as a separate offense.

He estimates about 50 percent of the apartment buildings in the city already are in compliance, but others were apparently waiting until the city cracks down on offenders.

The city inspector encourages landlords anticipating any special problems in installing the dumpster units to contact his office to discuss their problems. He explained there are a few buildings in the city whose grounds might be inaccessible for dumpster lifting and emptying by large trucks.

"Some will have to be ex-

cused by special arrangement," Daves said, but emphasized those locations would be subject to routine monitoring by the inspection department.

PLAN WORKSHOP ON STARTING BUSINESS

A one-day workshop on "How to start and manage your own business" will be offered Thursday, Feb. 24 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Old Post Office, Room 316, 815 Olive St., St. Louis. It will be conducted by SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives), the volunteer affiliate of the U.S. Small Business Administration.

The program is designed to provide information and assistance to people considering starting a business for the first time or for those who have recently started their own business. Topics include sources of capital, financial factors, marketing, pricing, promotion and distribution. The fee is \$3 per person and those interested in attending are to call (314) 425-6600.

ARREST MAN AT MEDICAL CENTER

A man went to St. Elizabeth Medical Center to take flowers to a relative there at 5:10 p.m. Monday and allegedly became abusive with a receptionist when told the flowers would be delivered to the patient by a staff member, but that he personally could not see the person at that time.

William A. Krug, 47, of 37 Madison Ave., Mitchell, who was believed to be intoxicated, allegedly warned the employee not to alert security and then started to walk behind the desk when personnel arrived.

He was escorted from the medical center by security officers, but then returned and was arrested by Granite City police on charges of criminal trespass to property and disorderly conduct.

News notes

An eight-week adult religion course on understanding the New Testament will begin at 7 p.m. at St. Elizabeth's parish hall, 2301 Pontoon Road. Teacher will be the Rev. Donald Markovich.

Many Illinoisans are saying that any increase in the state income tax should be accompanied by further real estate tax relief.

An upturn in rural crime is being attributed to sheriff manpower cuts. Deputies' response time has increased, Lieut. Conrad Baetz says in noting a rise in thefts and crimes against persons. Major Erwin Knezevich says information reports are still being taken but there is less time left to solve cases, locate suspects and prevent crimes.

Alton schools are dismissing 60 teachers, 12 clerks and six administrators. Average class size will be 35 to 38.

PRESIDENTS' USED CARS

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1982 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER 5th Ave., blue bottom and blue vinyl roof, A/C, full power, sun roof, wire wheels, Bal. of Factory Warranty. Sold new for \$15,200. Discounted to

\$12,495

1982 PLYMOUTH RELIANT CUSTOMER 4 dr. — black with A/C, auto trans, P/S, P/B, AM/FM stereo, 5 year 50,000 miles Warranty. Was \$7950. Discounted to

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1982 DODGE ARIES CUSTOM 4 dr. — white with A/C, auto trans, speed control, AM/FM stereo, was \$7295. Discounted to

\$6895

1982 PLYMOUTH RELIANT 4 dr. — light gold with A/C, auto trans, P/S, P/B, was \$6995. Discounted to

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1981 CHEV. CHEVETTE SDOOTER — brown with auto trans, was \$3495. Discounted to

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1979 CHRYSLER LAHARON 2 dr. — blue bottom and white vinyl roof, A/C, power windows, speed control, auto trans, was \$4695. Discounted to

\$4395

1979 OLDS CUTLASS SALON 4 dr. — gold with A/C, auto trans, P/S, P/B, was \$4595. Discounted to

\$4195

1979 DODGE 310 2 dr. — red with AM/FM radio, elec. defroster, was \$4395. Discounted to

\$3295

1979 TOYOTA COROLLA 2 dr. — red with 5 speed trans, AM/FM radio, was \$4495. Discounted to

\$4295

1980 DODGE 210 STATION WAGON — green with walnut trim, A/C, 5 speed trans, top rack, was \$4195. Discounted to

\$3995

1978 DODGE COLT 2 dr. — blue with 4 speed trans, Sharp car, was \$2495. Discounted to

\$2995

1978 FORD MUSTANG 2 dr. — white with A/C, 4 speed trans, was \$2495. Discounted to

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1978 CHRYSLER CORONADO 2 dr. — silver bottom and silver vinyl roof, A/C, AM/FM radio, speed control, Sharp, Local car. Was \$3495. Discounted to

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Southwest Section begins Friday

By ROGER KRAMER
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — Will the 1983 Class AA wrestling sectional at Granite City South this weekend be a replay of last year's tournament? Granite City North wrestling coach Walt Whitaker certainly hopes it isn't.

Last year, Springfield Lanphier and the Steelers were the two teams expected to battle for the sectional title. Lanphier won the title by seven points, over North.

This year, the two teams are again expected to be the major contenders for the title, and Whitaker is hoping North isn't disappointed again.

Although Lanphier qualified 10 wrestlers for the tournament compared to North's nine, Whitaker thinks there's a good chance North can grab the title.

"We were only one match away from the title last year, and I know that the kids want the title this year," Whitaker said. "Lanphier has some tough people with experience back, and I expect them to be tough."

The Steelers will find out how tough Lanphier and the rest of the field is Friday and Saturday. Friday's session, which starts at 6 p.m., will feature first round and quarter-final matches on four mats. On Saturday, semi-finals and wrestlingback will start at noon, and championship and third place matches will be held at 7 p.m.

The top three finishers will qualify for the Class AA state finals Feb. 25-26 at the University of Illinois Assembly Hall at Champaign.



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Jim Gardner, who coached Lanphier to the sectional title last year, expects a difficult time winning this year.

"Granite North is definitely the team to beat this year. I think North is probably the strongest team in their area this year, and they have shown they're strong. If our dual match with Roxana is any indication of how we'll do, North should win the sectional," Gardner said.

Roxana defeated Lanphier 26-25 in a dual match earlier this season, but with the caliber of competition at the sectional, dual match results go right out the window.

The 155-pound weight class will be one of the toughest weight classes to win. Springfield's Dick McCormick, the defending sectional champion and 32-0 this season, appears to be the dominant wrestler in the class.

However, North's Bruce Widell, who finished second at the Collinsville Sectional after suffering a knee injury in the title match and 30-1 this season, Edwardsville's Eric Brown, 22-1-1, Belleville East's Mark Bartle, 30-4-1, South's Mark Dowdy, 23-7-3, stand to challenge McCormick.

If Widell can defeat Harrisburg's Dom Bertlio in the first round and Bartle in

the quarterfinals, he would like face McCormick in the semifinals Saturday. Other wrestlers who could contend at 155 are freshman Chris Gill of Murphysboro, who upset previously undefeated Larry Bassler of Herrin in the regional championship at Carbondale.

The field at 98 is expected to be a strong field too. North's Colin Davis, 30-1, Althoff's Joe Williams, 33-1-1, Belleville West's Tim Alligre, 27-3, Cahokia's Bryan Patterson, 23-9, and Springfield Southeast's Jay Dowdy, 27-5-1, are expected to be the top wrestlers at that division.

Williams, the only wrestler to beat Davis this year, could face Davis in the semifinals.

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Lanphier wrestling coach

North's Greg Nemeth, 29-2, will be in a tough field at 105. Dana Wolford of Lanphier, 32-1, after the second place finisher last year, Kevin Byrd of Cahokia, 30-7-1, Shawn Zipprich of Roxana, 28-3 are challengers for Nemeth.

Nemeth and Wolford also are possible opponents in the semifinals.

At 126, Rod Unger of North, 32-0, could also have a difficult field to battle. Brad Walker of Belleville East, 34-1-1, Dave Allen of Quincy, 31-3, Sean Kelly of Quincy, 29-1-1, and Davis' stiffest challengers.

Walker's only loss of the season came to Unger, a 3-1 decision in the title match at the South Holiday Tournament. The two could meet again in the semi-finals.

South's Jon Frangoulis at 167, 31-2, will face challenges from Springfield's John Brodin, 21-2, Quincy's Calvin Paris, 24-6, Mascoutah's Steve Fucas, 27-2, Collinsville's Henry Levy, North's Bill Zimmer and Murphysboro's T.J. McQuay in that class.

Frangoulis could wrestle Zimmer in

the quarterfinals if Zimmer defeats Jacksonville's Jim Triple in the first round. Frangoulis pinned Zimmer in their last meeting.

The 185 weight class features North's John Morris and South's Dave Brown, Morris, 30-0-1, and Brown, 18-7-1 and a state qualifier last year, will battle wrestlers like Lanphier's Larry Schobeton, 27-7 and Cahokia's Yogi Taylor, 32-8-1 in that class.

Brent McKenney of North will wrestle John Sutter of Springfield in a first round match at 112, where Civic Memorial's Kip Kristoff, a state champion at 98 last year, is a heavy favorite to win.

Tom Sparks of South wrestles Tony Crase of Highland in a first round match at 119. Rob Milazzo of Roxana is also a heavy favorite to win that title.

North's Monte Kessler meets Jim King of Southeast in a first round match at 145. Jeff Nichols of Civic Memorial, Dave Mardislaus of Cahokia, and Kevin Fargusson of Lanphier are favored here.

South heavyweight Paul Hitchcock wrestles Mike Foster of Quincy, 30-8, in a first round match. Sam Fields of Southeast and Frank Mitchell of Cahokia are among the wrestlers to watch.

Davis, Nemeth, Unger, Patterson and Morris finished first at the Cahokia regional, and Frangoulis was South's only champion at O'Fallon. McKenney, Kessler, Widell and Zimmer finished second at Collinsville, and Brown and Dowdy were second at O'Fallon. Sparks finished third at O'Fallon.

First place wrestlers earn a bye from the first round. Second and third place wrestlers meet each other in the first round.

North won the Collinsville Regional by 36.5 points. Belleville East won the O'Fallon Regional by four points over Cahokia and by 12 points over fourth place South. Lanphier defeated Quincy 175-145 to win their own regional title, and Carbondale won the Carbondale-Marion Regional.

Last year, four state champions came out of the South Sectional, Kip and Mark Kristoff of Civic Memorial, Rob Warren of Roxana, and Bob Dahm of Belleville West.

Davis (98), Unger (132), Frangoulis (155) and Brown (185) qualified for state last year.

"I think we have a chance to get a few up to state again this year and be respectable," Whitaker said. "Everyone's healthy right now, but its going to be tough. This could be one of the most wide open sectionals in a long time."

Athletes will compete in three sessions, one on Friday and two on Saturday. Friday's session, the preliminary rounds, will begin at 6 p.m.

The first session on Saturday, the quarterfinals and semifinals, will begin at noon with the semifinals and finals beginning at 7 p.m.

Ticket prices for each session is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.

PRESS-RECORD

Thursday

On Skinner's free throws

Warrior cagers come back to defeat Panthers

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER

Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

COLLINSVILLE — It's the kind of come-from-behind finish that athletes dream about.

The kind of finish that makes a hero or shatters an ego.

There are six seconds remaining in the game. Her team is down by one point, 42-41. She is at the free throw stripe in a one-and-one situation.

She inches her feet up to the free-throw line, bounces the ball twice, then lets it towards the backboard.

It went in.

The score is tied. If her team is to win, she has to do it again.

Again, she methodically bounces the ball twice and pauses.

Fans are hushing each other in the stands. Swish! Her team now leads 43-42.



Granite South Warriors

That was the scenario at Collinsville's Vandalia campus gymnasium Tuesday evening as Granite City South defeated O'Fallon 43-42.

The heroine was Granite City South's Trish Skinner.

"I can't think of a more deserving person to pull the game out for us like that than Trish," said warrior coach Gary Morgan. "It's always a team effort, but she's the main reason for tonight's win."

Skinner led both teams with 16 points. Skinner's efforts, however, were almost made in vain.

With three seconds remaining in the

contest, O'Fallon turned the ball over. All the Warriors had to do was run down the clock. Easy, right? Wrong. It wasn't that easy.

Sue Schnefke's inbound pass bounced once, then went out-of-bounds without touching a Warrior. The Warriors turned the ball over without expending a second on the clock.

The ballgame now rested on O'Fallon's shoulders. Whether the Warriors would win or lose depended on the Panther's plan of action.

O'Fallon passes to its hot forward Tina Rich. Rich has shot with consistent accuracy from the corner. She jumps and fires a 20 footer.

The ball bounces off the rim and goes straight up. She has made a handful of buckets like this one tonight. But this one does not go in. It comes down off the rim. Time expires.

The Warriors have earned a berth in to the consolation championship

against Granite City North. That game will be played tonight at 8 p.m.

The Warriors were in Tuesday night's game by virtue of Monday's 38-28 first round loss to Collinsville. O'Fallon lost to Alton Monday 58-33.

Because of the Panther's loss to South, they are eliminated from competition.

In Tuesday's contest, O'Fallon was the underdog. Behind a steal, the Warriors moved them ahead 4-0 before South responded to tie the game three minutes into the contest.

Skinner tied a stolen pass into two points to lead 8-6, before Kathy Juhasz, South's dead eye from the perimeter, sank a jumper to move the Warriors ahead 8-8.

O'Fallon's Rich responded with a swisher from the corner to tie the contest at eight with just 1:30 remaining in the first quarter. Skinner, grabbing an offensive rebound, bounced one in to give the Warriors a 10-8 lead that stood until the end of the quarter.

South, a team which historically has had trouble maintaining a lead through the middle quarters, increased their lead over the Panthers by one to lead 17-14 at halftime.

But during the third and fourth quarters, the Warriors began to tire. By the end of the third quarter, their three-point lead slipped to two.

To start the fourth quarter, O'Fallon's first order of business was to tie the game and move ahead if they could. One minute and 14 seconds into the final quarter that's just what happened.

In fact, the Panthers did better than that as they moved ahead, 32-30, when Joyce Mayo sank a pair of free throws after she was fouled under her basket.

O'Fallon's lead was short lived as Juhasz connected with a 12 footer to tie the game at 32. For the next few minutes, South was playing catch up basketball.

As the minutes wound down, things became increasingly worse for the Warriors. With just three minutes remaining, the Panthers had increased their lead to eight, 40-32. But, that was as bad as things got.

Skinner picked up a pass inside for a layup which cut the Panther lead to six, 40-34.

Following a Warrior timeout at the 1:25 mark, Skinner was fouled while shooting an offensive rebound which resulted in a three-point play that cut the Panther lead to three, 40-37.

South's Kathy Thornberry narrowed the point difference to one with a bank shot off the left side.

With 20 seconds remaining, O'Fallon moved back out in front by three as Theresa Thomas hit the high and low ends of a one-and-one situation.

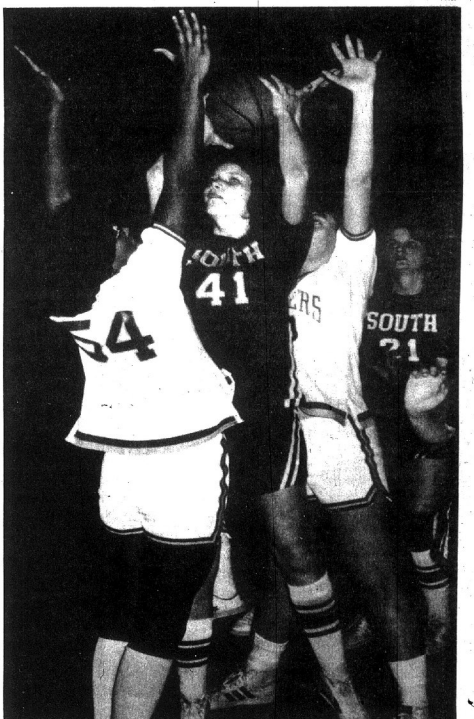
Juhasz moved the Warriors back to within one point, 42-41, with a looping jumper as the clock ticked down to nine seconds.

With six seconds remaining, O'Fallon's Julie Stern fouled Skinner. The rest is history.

GC SOUTH 10 7 13 13-43
O'FALLON 8 6 14 14-42

GC SOUTH (43):
Skinner 16, Juhasz 12, Thornberry 4, Schnefke 5, Ifland 4, Adams 2.

THOMAS (42), Perkins 12, Rich 8, M. Skinner 6, Mayo 2.



SANDWICHED. Granite City South's Trish Skinner, sandwiched between two O'Fallon defenders attempted this shot during Tuesday's contest in the Collinsville basketball tournament. The Warriors defeated the Panthers 43-42, earning a berth in the consolation championship this evening.

(Press-Record Photo by Al Gerstenecker)

Steelers down Cahokia

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER

Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

COLLINSVILLE — To quote Granite City North's girls' basketball coach Harry Cook, "It was a real party, but it got the job done." That's how Cook assessed Tuesday night's 58-46 consolation bracket win over Cahokia in the Collinsville girls' basketball tournament at the Vandalia campus gymnasium.

The Steelers and the Comanches, who were both eliminated from the winner's bracket the previous evening, battled for more than an hour before North put the game out of reach with a 20-point fourth quarter.

Despite North's success late in the game, the previous three quarters were not as easy for the Steelers.

In the first quarter, North started slow, falling behind Cahokia 7-3, before Trish Atkinson, Trina Davis and Monica Fanning assembled North's offense in the waning minutes of the quarter, giving them a 15-10 first-quarter lead.

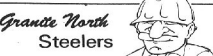
North increased its lead by a point, 16-9, go ahead by six at halftime, 26-20. Although the Steelers managed to increase their lead in the second quarter, they lacked the "killer instinct" to put the game away.

One reason North was unable to shake the trailing Comanches was 6-foot-3 sophomore center Debbie Avery. Avery, who led both teams with 20 points, was the main reason the Comanches stayed in the game as long as they did. The Comanches' inside game fed Avery and Cahokia's scoring attack through the first three quarters.

Sanctioned by the Ozark Association TAC and organized by Front Runners Inc. of Lebanon, will select the U.S. representatives in the upcoming IAAF World Cross Country Championships in Gateshead, England.

World-class distance runner and president of Front Runners Inc., Craig Virgin announced that the top six junior finishers and the top nine senior finishers will qualify for the U.S. team which will travel to Gateshead for the March 20 World Championships.

Virgin explained that the junior division course will be 9,000 meters, while the senior division will run 12,000-meter course. There



Granite North Steelers

Avery's fourth foul late in the final quarter, however, took the wind out of Cahokia's offense and defense, enabling the Steelers to capitalize on her more conservative play in the center.

Prior to Avery's fourth infraction, North scored frequently, but not like they did after the sophomore center came within a foul of leaving the game. The Steelers scored almost at will after Avery's fourth.

Less than a minute later, the Comanche game was dealt another blow. Point guard Chris Jernigan fouled out with 5:20 remaining. Jernigan, Cahokia's second leading scorer, exited the contest with 10 points.

"For all intents and purposes, it was over at that point," said Cahokia coach John Burris. "Without Jernigan, and with Avery in foul trouble, whatever hopes we had in making a comeback just went out the window."

With less than five minutes remaining in the contest, North's Lisa Lilly broke down the court, sinking a layup to give the Steelers a 10-point 49-39 lead.

As the pace of the game quickened in the waning minutes of the game, Avery sank both ends of a one-and-one situation to move Cahokia to within eight, 49-41.

Cahokia cut the lead to six, 49-43.

when Lilley, accepting a pass from Paula Rozycki, broke in for a layup to put North's lead once again at 51-43.

With less than two minutes remaining, Skinner sank a banker to increase North's lead to 54-44. The remainder of the contest was anti-climatic as the Steelers outscored Cahokia 4-2, to win 58-46.

The victory puts the Steelers in the consolation championship match against cross-town rival Granite City North which defeated O'Fallon in the second game Tuesday night. The consolation championship is scheduled for 8 p.m. at Collinsville's Vandalia campus.

The championship game, also scheduled for 8 p.m., will pit Collinsville and Hazelwood Central at the Greenwood campus gymnasium.

In first round action, the Steelers lost to Mascoutah 49-32, while Cahokia fell to Hazelwood Central 65-43.

North defeated Cahokia Tuesday with a balanced scoring attack. Three Steelers scored in double figures: Rozycski 12; Atkinson 11 and Lilley 10.

North's Kim Fountain scored nine. Davis scored eight, Fanning seven and Nancy McClew hit a free throw for a single point.

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CAHOKIA 10 10 12 14-46

NORTH (58):
Rozycski 12, Atkinson 11, Lilley 10, Fountain 9, Davis 8, Fanning 7, McClew 1.

CAHOKIA (46):
Avery 20, Jernigan 10, Schreckenberg 8, Range 7, Sykes 1.

Virgin to run in cross-country trials at SIUE

EDWARDSVILLE — A cast of the finest cross-country runners in the United States, including Craig Virgin, will be on hand Feb. 20 when Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville plays host to The Athletic Congress (TAC)/USA 1983 Cross Country Trials for both the national junior and senior teams. The trials,

sanctioned by the Ozark Association TAC and organized by Front Runners Inc. of Lebanon, will select the U.S. representatives in the upcoming IAAF World Cross Country Championships in Gateshead, England.

World-class distance runner and president of Front Runners Inc., Craig Virgin announced that the top six junior finishers and the top nine senior finishers will qualify for the U.S. team which will travel to Gateshead for the March 20 World Championships.

Virgin explained that the junior division course will be 9,000 meters, while the senior division will run 12,000-meter course. There will also be a 9,000-meter run for those in attendance who do not pass qualifying standards for the races.

SportSchedule

Thursday, Feb. 17
GIRLS' BASKETBALL: GC South, GC North in Cville Tournament
Madison vs. Assumption, there 6:30 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 18
WRESTLING: GC North, GC South at GC's Sectional
BASKETBALL: GC South vs. Eville, there 6:30 p.m.
GC North vs. Belleville West, there 6:30 p.m.
Madison vs. Trutopple, here 6:30 p.m.
Venice vs. St. Paul, here 6:30 p.m.
Metro-East vs. Livingston, there 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 19
WRESTLING: GC North, GC South at GC's Sectional
BASKETBALL: Madison vs. Lebanon, here 6:30 p.m.
Venice vs. Sumner (St. Louis), there 6:30 p.m.

It's official: Hency, Trittschuh All-Americans

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

In last month's Thursday, Jan. 6, issue the Press-Record reported that both Granite City South's Bill Hency and North's Steve Trittschuh would be named to the Parade Magazine's All-American soccer squad. At the time, Parade Publications of New York would not confirm the reports, saying only "a formal announcement would be made later."

Last Sunday, Feb. 13, Parade Publications made that formal announcement.

Hency and Trittschuh are two of three prep athletes from Illinois named to the squad. The third is Wheeling High's Chris Kender. For Kender, it's the second time he's been named to the Parade All-American squad.

In all, 45 athletes from 15 states were named to the squad. By far, Missouri led with the most athletes named to the squad, 11.

The Missouri athletes joining Hency and Trittschuh on the squad include Hazelwood East's Jim Schwab, Rosary's Dan McHugh, St. Thomas Aquinas' Dan McHugh, St. Hilary, De Smet's Steve Nikodem, William Fortner and Steve Fuchs, St. Louis University High's Don Henry, CBC's John Gates and Mike England.

McHugh and Walters are two of 17 strikers named to the squad. Hency, Hyla and Nikodem are the midfielders area midfielders named to the squad. Area sweepers named to the squad include Trittschuh, Schwab, Fortner, Henry and Gates.

The St. Louis area almost exclusively claimed rights to the goalkeeper honors. Three of the four are from St. Louis. They include: Genovese, England and Fuchs.

Granite Cityans may remember several of Missouri athletes from Granite City South's Tournament of Champions which was held last October.

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Soccer Association breaks ground for facility

GRANITE CITY — The Quad-Cities Soccer Association broke ground last Thursday, Feb. 3, for the local soccer complex it is planning adjacent to Logan and Prather schools along Illinois Route 3 and North Street on Granite City's west side.

Quad-Cities Soccer Association officials as well as local dignitaries were on hand for the ceremonial groundbreaking.

The local organization, consisting of 60 teams with 1,650 boys and girls ages 5 through 14 playing soccer, has leased approximately 13 acres of ground behind the schools to develop five soccer fields, a concession and playground area. The complex will consist of two fields 70x110 yards, two fields

60x90 yards and one field 50x70 yards. The concession area is designed to have a kitchen area with a covered eating area attached. The building will also house rest rooms and a storage area. Overall dimensions of the building will be 24x36 feet.

When completed the development is to be fenced, with bleachers provided for each field and future plans call for a central water system to maintain the fields, and lights for each of the five fields.

Work is to progress in phases with the first phase commencing immediately with the construction of the concession building. Labor and material for this building is being donated by Foreman Brick Co. of Granite City.

According to Dave Foreman, president, the building is to be completed by March 1 allowing site work and grading to commence. The balance of the first phase of construction is to be completed in time for the association to play their fall season, which begins in September.

The entire project cost is estimated to be \$800,000.

The Quad-City area is the hottest for soccer in Illinois and is known throughout the nation from our high schools and local programs. This "soccer only" complex will not only help maintain the level of excellence and continued national recognition, but will also continue to provide a pool of youth from which future college and world class soccer stars will

come. The complex will be used by the Quad-Cities Soccer Association for league play and related purposes and will also be used to draw international teams to our area. The complex will also be available to our high school for tournament play and to other associations for tournaments, regional, state and national play.

Community support is needed in this venture and your tax-deductible contribution will help build this facility. Send checks of support to: QUAD-CITIES SOCCER COMPLEX FUND, P.O. Box 624, Granite City, Illinois 62040. Please make check payable to: "QUAD-CITIES SOCCER COMPLEX FUND"

Schwab, Henry to play at SIU-Edwardsville

EDWARDSVILLE — No sooner than the Parade Magazine announced its 1982 Prep All-American soccer team than Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville Head Coach Bob Guelker inked two more high school standouts to SIUE scholarships.

Guelker, who took advantage of the official announcement Sunday about the Parade Magazine All-

Americans, signed backs Jim Schwab of Hazelwood East High School and Don Henry of St. Louis University at High School. Two weeks ago, Guelker inked his first Parade Magazine All-American at Granite City native Steve Trittschuh in the Missouri All-State team, is one of just four repeaters

on this year's Parade Magazine All-American squad. He is also a member of the United States National Youth Team that recently toured Russia.

With the addition of Schwab, Henry and Trittschuh, Guelker appears to have found the replacements for recent graduates Tom Groark, Mike Twellman and Craig Guempel in the backfield.

Schwab, Henry and Trittschuh join the Cougars on the wake of their best season since their national championship campaign in 1979. Last year, the Cougars posted a 15-1 record, won the Midwest Regional Championship, won the NCAA quarterfinal contest and fell to the eventual NCAA-I champions from Indiana University, 1-0, in the semifinal round.

Northeast had the Cougars' Jeff Condill scored well and his usual outcourt shooting was shut down from the opening whistle. He finished with just four of eight.

The Cougars have four more games on their schedule, two at home next week and a final pair on the road.

Monday night their bitter rivals, the Rivermen of the University of Missouri-St. Louis will be at Edwardsville High for a 7:30 game. And, Wednesday night, same time, Lincoln University will be the Cougars' home opponents.

NORTHEAST MISSOURI 56 SIUE 52

NEMO Dobelmann 6, Skagstad 6, Hutcherson 10, Bussard 16, Campbell 6, Adams 1, Halverson 5, Renner 6, FG 22 FT 12 PF 10.

SIUE — Logan 14, Blokall 7, Gray 7, Condill 8, Hamilton 2, Gardenshire 6, Hansen 8, FG 23 FT 6 PF 19.

HALFTIME: NEMO 35, SIUE 30.

Cougar cagers fall to Northeast's Bulldogs 56-52

By AL BARNES
of the Press-Record

EDWARDSVILLE — The basketball Cougars of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville lost their second game of the week last (Wednesday) night by a 56-52 score at the hands of the Bulldogs of Northeast Missouri State University.

Monday night, on the same court at Edwardsville, the Cougars had been trampled by NAIA powerhouse Chicago State University, 66-51.

In both games, SIUE coach Tom Pugliese had fleeting moments when he thought his charges were on the verge of racking up a big

upset. Against the No. 1 Chicago State five they had trailed by only three, 28-25, at the intermission. But, down the final 20 minutes, Chicago's quickness, plus the inroads of flu on the Cougars, dashed the Cougars' hopes.

Last night, the Cougars appeared headed for their first victory over Northeast in eight meetings, but it wasn't to be.

Big Brad Blokall gave the Cougars a 44-43 lead with 9:30 minutes remaining, but at this point the Bulldogs' leading scorer in the game, Gary Bussard, stole a SIUE pass and drove in for a

layout and Northeast never gave up the lead.

In last night's loss, again the SIUE players' failure to make their free throws cost them dearly. For the game, they could get down only six of 10, while Northeast was canning 12 of 20.

Again Wood River's senior, Jim (Buzz) Logan, led the Cougars with 14 points. And six rebounds, although the victor's towering Jim Hutcherson took game honors in the category with nine caroms.

Logan hit on seven of 10 tries from the field. Bob Gray, hurt midway in the game, was "off" his game and was held to only seven points. Gray was able to return to the ballgame, but was held in check. He appeared, too, to be still suffering from his bout of flu.

Pugliese started Dave Hamilton at the point guard, but switched at the half to his usual starter, Aaron Gardenshire. It didn't help as Gardenshire was able to get only two down in six tries.

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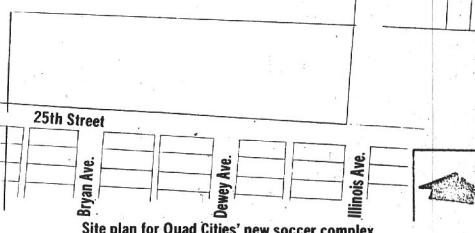
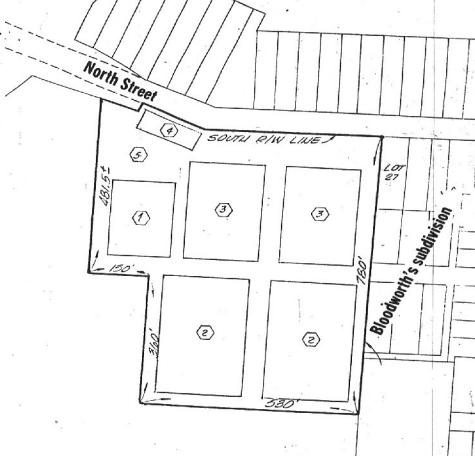
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Site plan for Quad Cities' new soccer complex

High Rollers

TRI MOR BOWL Wednesday, Feb. 9	Baptist	Tim Venne 222
Gaslight Ladies	Jolene Terrell 209	Tim Venne 585
Sandy Payne 235	Paul Bagby 233	Monday, Feb. 14
Sandy Payne 557	Al Lutz 622	Lady Bugs
Bowling Queens	Sunday, Feb. 13	Mary Anne Murky 256
Debbie Reeves 222	Holy Rollers	Mary Anne Murky 610
Debbie Reeves 507	Mary Parker 214	Monday Nite Blues
Friday, Feb. 11	Mary Parker 523	Pearl Wright 192
Original Captain & Crew	Larry Haughey 278	Diane Simmerman 481
Christi Clark 209	Larry Haughey 698	Jeanette Willtrout 213
Christi Clark 526	Sun. Afternoon Mixed	Jeanette Willtrout 548
Les Skelly 178	JoAnn Hargrave 192	Cindy Rodgers 549
Les Skelly 463	JoAnn Hargrave 478	

Retzer named to head Civics diamond squad

By AL BARNES
for the Press-Record
Kenneth Leo Retzer, former major league baseball player, has been named co-manager of the 1983 Civics 7-Ups amateur squad. It has been announced by Pat Peterson, business director of the club. Peterson, in his announcement, said: "Retzer, who is a native of Wood River, knows the game of baseball from A to Z and loves to teach the game to the up-coming players."

Peterson, a native of Edwardsville, started for two years for coach Roy E. Lee at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, and went on to a pro career in organized baseball in the New York Yankees' chain. He reached Triple A status before retiring from the game. A short-stop reminiscent (height and weight) of the legendary Marty Marion of the St. Louis Cardinals, Peterson was the originator and driving force behind the organization of the Civics 7-Ups baseball team and its affiliation with the National Baseball Congress national program six summers ago.

Three times the Civics 7-Ups team has battled its way to the national NBC national tournaments at Wichita, Kans.

Retzer, who was signed as a catcher by the Cleveland Indians in 1954 after two

years in college (at Central Missouri State U.), he spent 14 years in organized baseball, including four years in the Major Leagues, two with the Senators and one each with the Cleveland Indians and the Minnesota Twins.

An outstanding defensive catcher with an accurate throwing arm, Retzer possessed a potent bat, too. He finished his pro baseball with a highly respectable .293 batting average.

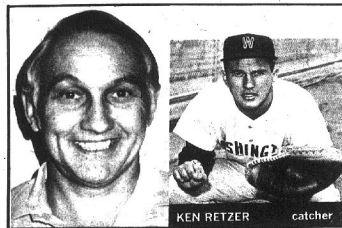
At Central Missouri State, he earned an Associate Degree in coaching, with a major in baseball.

While Retzer was born in Wood River, he played baseball and basketball for the Weilsville, Mo., High Tigers and graduated from there in 1953.

Said Retzer: "I'm looking forward to the coming season. We are going to be much stronger than last year, when we finished with a great 29-20 record. Our pitching corps will be much stronger and while we have lost two veterans, Bobby Hughes and Jim Greenwald, Overall we will be stronger."

Peterson also announced that Roy E. Lee, who managed the Civics in their first two campaigns and served as pitching coach the last two seasons, will again be out with our young hurlers, but on a more limited basis.

Explained Peterson: "This



Retzer now and as a Senator

will permit Skip to devote more time to his new sports love, gold, and yet be able to come in and give us a hand with our younger pitchers."

Back in the fold will be the Civics 7-Ups' three regular outfielders: Bill Stolte (.390), rightfield; George (Ball Hawk) Vogel (.269), centerfield; and Darrell Wehrand (.315), left field.

Back, too, behind the plate catching, will be Keith Hoskinson who played his first collegiate year at the University of Kansas and now is enrolled at Meramec Community College in St. Louis. The hard-hitting Hoskinson suffered a tough break last year with the Civics: he was leading the

club with a near .400 batting average when a pitched ball smashed his right (batting) hand and knocked him out of his lineup for nearly three weeks. Tim Gamble, who can play at third, second or shortstop, backed up a sensational .361 batting average in 1982.

The Civics 7-Ups will play another long (72 games) and tough schedule. Peterson said: "We play at least two very attractive road trips: one to western Iowa and one down to Arkansas. As in the past, we hope our schedule of games will be equal to Double A baseball. The hard-hitting Hoskinson helps us recruit some of the best college players in the nation."

Dorothy Hinson, cheerleading advisor, with a plaque thanking her for her support in their program this year. Richie Wilson, on behalf of the team and as team captain, presented Cavanaugh with a plaque showing their great appreciation and thanks for his efforts in coaching the team this year.

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City boxer will pit 75-pound sub-novice Leroy Sloan against North County's Carl Daniels. The 71 Sportsman's Complex is located at the corner of Bellfontaine and River-view Roads in North St. Louis County.

Tickets for the evening of boxing are \$4 obtainable at the club. Doors open at 7 p.m., boxing begins at 8 p.m. The Tri-City YMCA Boxing team is coached by John Beckwith.

Club hosts walleyball tournament

The Granite City Racquetball Club and Nautilus Fitness Center is sponsoring a walleyball tournament on Saturday, Feb. 19.

The co-ed, double-elimination tourney is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. A minimum of two girls must be on all teams.

First and second place individual trophies will be awarded.

Essentially, walleyball is volleyball played on a racquetball court.

For further information or to register a team, persons should contact the club at 931-4390.

The Granite City Racquetball Club and Nautilus Fitness Center is located at 3801 Stearns, just off Pontoon Road.

Park District basketball, volleyball, broomball

Basketball

Monday, Feb. 7

Men's South

McDonald's 56

Bob's Place 50

John Slay 51

Church 48

Tri-City Park 36

Jim Bilyeu 51

Don Rebstock 51

Men's South

Arlington AC 65

GC Businessmen 59

Kevin Hayes 51

R. Vandergriff 51

Boochies Lounge 73

Van Stars 53

Rob Prather 51

Coolidge Church 71

1st Assm. of God II 22

Jim Mersinger 51

Jerry Mercer 51

1st Assm. of God I 46

Third Baptist 46

Men's North

Croatian Home 123

Ken Golf 51

Mark Madgett 51

Nathan Young 51

Dion Randolpi 51

Men's West

Scott's Hair Des. 92

Smoker Joe's 50

Don Cook 51

Larry Graham 51

Grigsby

Men's North

Ramblin' Rogues 102

Eddie's Lounge 73

B. Jones 51

Mike Henry 51

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Celtics 90

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John Knox 51

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Russell Moss, tax-aide coordinator of the Granite City area, announces two new locations for income tax assistance for older citizens. Tax-aide counselors will be available at the Madison Memorial Center, Seventh and Lee streets each Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and at the Venice Recreation Center, 300 Broadway, each

Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon. Counselors will also continue to serve at the Tri-Cities American Red Cross building, 2100 Edison Ave. (formerly St. Joseph Catholic School) each Tuesday and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Moss added. Any older citizen who needs assistance with their

income tax returns is advised to bring a copy of last year's return together with all notices received such as interest, dividends, pension and forms from the IRS and State of Illinois, Moss explained. No appointments are necessary as seniors will be served in turn. This is the eighth year of

the program, sponsored by the American Association of Retired Persons educational and service program, Moss added.

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Concert Choral will provide music at special Latin Mass

The 59-voice Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville Concert Choral will serve as the choir for a special Solemn Pontifical Mass to be celebrated by the Reverend John Nicholas Wurm, bishop of Belleville, on Saturday, Feb. 26, at 5 p.m. in the Cathedral of St. Peter in Belleville. The internationally acclaimed choir directed by Leonard Van Camp, will sing a double choir mass by Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, entitled "Missa: Hodie Christus Natus Est," based on a motet of the same title. The group also will sing Latin motets by other Renaissance composers: William Byrd's "No Nobis Domine," Carlo Gesualdo's "O Vos Omnes," "Nobis Datus" by Thomas Luis Victoria, and "Canta Domino" by Jan P. Sweelinck. In addition to singing the traditional Latin chants with the congregation, accompanied by organist Dennis York, the Choral will sing three other Latin Motets during the distribution of Holy Communion. These include "Christum Ducem" by Joquin Des Pres, and "Christus Factus Est" by Felice Anerio, the composer who followed Palestrina as

composer to the Pontifical Choir in Rome. The Choral has toured Europe four times, most recently singing in Notre Dame in Paris, the Salzburg Cathedral, and the Canterbury Cathedral this past summer. The group represented the United States in the prestigious Llangollen International Eisteddfod in Wales, placing third in this world-class contest. The Choral includes many music majors, but also has many students from the rest of the university's schools and departments. "We are very excited about this opportunity to share this fantastic music from our musical past with the parishners and other interested persons in the Belleville area who may not often hear this heritage in its intended setting," said Van Camp, founder of the Choral. "Ordinarily, it is necessary to go to Europe to experience a Latin Mass with appropriate chants and motets to complement the ordinary music of the mass," he continued. Bishop Wurm commented, "We feel very privileged to have Dr. Van Camp and the SUIC Concert Choral participate with us in this Latin Mass, which will be offered according to the Rite of the New Order of the Mass promulgated by Pope Paul VI in 1969. This will be the Mass of the second Sunday of Lent and will fulfill the Sunday obligation for those of the Catholic faith."

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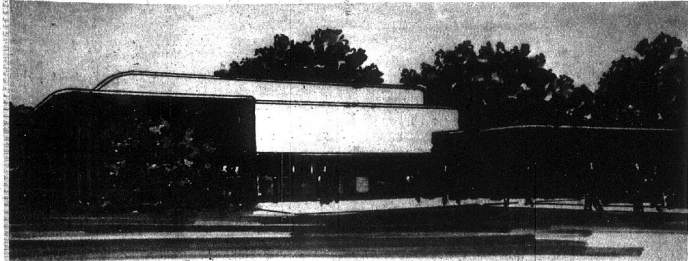
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Lazerson appeals for additional funding for higher education here

The alternatives to Governor James Thompson's proposed tax increases threaten the basic mission of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and other centers of higher education in Illinois, according to Earl Lazerson, president of SIUE.

Commenting on Thompson's tax recommendations announced in the Governor's State of the State message last week, President Lazerson said, "Governor Thompson's imperatives provide clear-cut directions which must be followed if Illinois is to avoid bankruptcy in the entire range of human services."

The president explained that if additional tax revenues are not provided, the projected reduction in general revenue funding for higher education in Fiscal Year 1984 is approximately \$100 million. This would be a 1 percent decrease from this year's funding level.

For SIUE, it would mean a reduction in excess of \$3.5 million, if revenues are not increased. "A reduction of such magnitude would critically impair our ability to pursue our educational mission," President Lazerson

warned. "Layoffs and terminations would seem unavoidable. Other hard choices could include salary cuts of at least 10 percent or furloughs of 29 days or more."

The president said "intensive and critical analyses" will be undertaken immediately to determine "the most equitable and viable ways to address the potential shortage."

In recent weeks, Lazerson and other leaders throughout Illinois have been working to reject the message of the state's fiscal crisis to the general public. In a statement to the mass media last week, the president said,

"I am reiterating my pledge of support and cooperation to those responsible leaders, including our Governor and our advocates in the General Assembly, in this great effort to save the very future for our children and our state. We have already proved that we can shoulder a hard share of the burden."

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Percy urges rejection of LNG gas price ruling

U.S. Senator Charles H. Percy (R-Ill.) has urged the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) and the Economic Regulatory Administration (ERA) to reject an administrative law judge's recommendation to allow the continued importation of Algerian liquefied natural gas (LNG) at above-market prices.

In letters to FERC and ERA, Percy said, "the effect of the purchase of overpriced gas on our poor, elderly, and businesses is certainly a key element of the public interest, which FERC and ERA have a responsibility to seriously address."

Percy criticized a Jan. 28 recommendation of a FERC administrative judge, noting, "it would be an abandonment of FERC and ERA legislative responsibilities — and a grave disservice to the

public — to dismiss these effects, as the judge did in his recommendation," Percy said.

"The judge seems to be saying that there is nothing wrong with having U.S. consumers — and U.S. producers — subsidize the importation of overpriced gas. This is utter nonsense," Percy said.

Last fall, Sen. Percy and others in the Illinois congressional delegation successfully fought for a postponement of a pass-through of the cost of higher priced Algerian LNG to Illinois consumers during the winter months.

Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company, the gas pipeline shipping the Algerian LNG to Illinois, is now seeking to pass on the added costs from the LNG to consumers beginning March 1, 1983.

In addition to submitting formal comments to FERC and ERA, both of which may review the FERC judge's recommendation, Percy has introduced legislation in the Senate which would set an upper limit on the price of imported LNG. "Although I would still prefer to see this resolved through established administrative channels, it is time that this issue receive direct Congressional action," Percy said.

28 marriages are dissolved

The marriages of 28 Quad-City area couples have been dissolved by Madison County's Third Circuit Court at Edwardsville:

Larry G. Sidwell of Granite City and Mary J. Sidwell (Clay) of Troy. They were married Oct. 15, 1977.

Charles R. Strain of Edwardsville and Jo Ann Strain (Clonko) of Granite City; married Feb. 18, 1956.

Doyle Wayne Barnes and Glenda Lea Barnes (Pheips), both of Granite City; Sept. 14, 1974.

Bobby Darrell Wofford and Phyllis Irene Wofford (Hartley), both of Granite City; Feb. 5, 1982.

Albert Franklin Hughes Jr. of Granite City and Mary Margaret Hughes (Marshall) of St. Louis; Oct. 23, 1972.

Mohammad Morovati and Charlotte Mae Morovati (Ketcherside), both of Granite City; married Dec. 20, 1981.

Jack L. Locandro of

Granite City and Claudette Locandro of Collinsville; Aug. 22, 1953.

Kevin G. Kingsley and Rebecca Sue Kingsley (Van Kirk), both of Granite City; Nov. 10, 1979.

John Michael Tune of Granite City and Pamela Kay Tune (Lambert) of Edwardsville; Oct. 13, 1979.

Carl Dean Barnett and Bonnie Joan Barnett (Giffin), both of Madison; Aug. 2, 1975.

Brian Keith Chastain and Lynnette Fay Chastain (Pence), both of Granite City; married April 16, 1977.

Timothy Eugene Sherlock and Tamara Sue Sherlock, both of Granite City; May 26, 1979.

Rich W. Shafer of Skidmore, Mo., and Dana J. Shafer (Fair) of Granite City; June 19, 1976.

Jerry D. Gardner of Hartford and Lori D. Gardner (Clement) of Granite City; Nov. 1, 1980.

Gary Warner Dacus and Lori Ann Dacus (Walker), both of Granite City; Aug. 9, 1978.

Cleri M. Hayes of Eaton-

town, W. Va., and Linda A. Hayes (Hansen) of Granite City; married April 16, 1980.

Clyde Merkel and Joan M. Merkel (Sutton), both of Granite City; Dec. 27, 1980.

Frank Costello of Granite City and Evelyn M. Costello (McGinnis) of Wood River; July 12, 1978.

Sтивен Wayne Doggett of Collinsville and Maryann Elizabeth Doggett (Gott) of Granite City; Oct. 27, 1979.

Jack Anthony Illies and Kathy Jodean Illies (Burr), both of Granite City; Sept. 26, 1981.

David J. Fischer of Brighton and Karen E. Fischer (Smith) of Granite City; Sept. 6, 1959.

Richard D. Alvarez of Cleveland, Ohio, and Barbara J. Alvarez (Verdu) of Granite City; Aug. 29, 1975.

William Richard Soden and Ruth Delores Soden (Griffith), both of Granite City; Oct. 20, 1950.

John Richard Perry Jr. of Collinsville and Debra Ann Terry (Reisinger) of Granite City; Nov. 16, 1975.

Michael V. Warford and Phyllis J. Warford, both of Granite City; Nov. 30, 1964.

Terry Dean Rochester of Granite City and Melinda M. Rochester (Phillips) of Muberry Grove; Dec. 26, 1970.

Tommy M. Gaudreault and Rebecca A. Gaudreault (Waltemate), both of Granite City; married May 6, 1978.

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Those attending were Ann Renzack, Marguerite Lexow, Mildred Jungles, Ruth Ann Bartels, Tomea Kirchoff, Myrtle Hickman, Melba Tarpo and June Cuchna.

President Mildred Hickman conducted the meeting. Business included the review of club bylaws. Ruth Ann Bartels gave the program on the "Planting and Care of Enchanted Lily."

The "Pig-in-the-Poke" was won by Mildred Jungles. The next meeting will be held March 9 at the home of Melba Tarpo.



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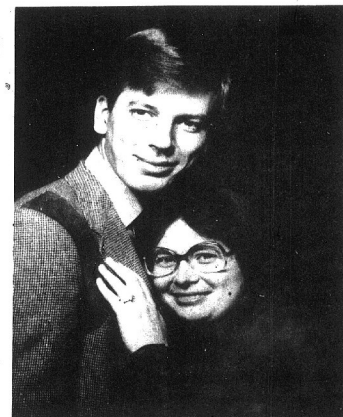
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Brian Gallas and Kathy Rumfelt

Gallas-Rumfelt

Mr. and Mrs. Von Rumfelt, 3216 Rodger Ave., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Kathy Rumfelt to Brian Gallas, son of Granite City Police Lieutenant and Mrs. George Gallas.

A graduate of Gateway Christian Academy, Miss Rumfelt is presently employed at Mercantile

Trust Co., St. Louis. Her fiancé graduated from Granite City High School South and is attending St. Louis Christian College. The engaged couple and their families are planning a May wedding to be solemnized at Bethel Free Will Baptist Church in South Roxana. The Rev. Daryl Ellis will officiate.

Guild hears Rev. Reiter

The Rev. Allen Reiter spoke on "When Bad Things Happen to Good People," by Rabbi Kushner, at the February meeting of the Afternoon Guild of St. John United Church of Christ.

Members met in the church hall for a noon dessert luncheon served by Velma Farrance, Mildred Branding, Ellen Ehlert and Ruth Jensen. The tables were decorated in keeping with the Valentine Day motif.

Twenty-two members and two guests, Alice Reiter and Vivian Schnyder attended the session. Mrs. Schnyder later became a member of the guild.

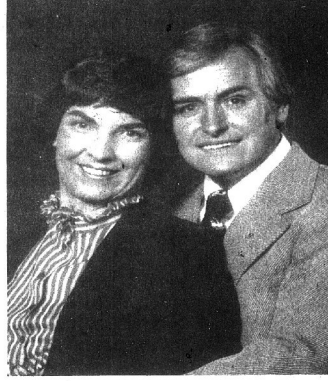
Mrs. Emma Rieleke, general chairman, gave the devotions related to the subject of love.

Mrs. Mae Schuthof was honored on her birthday during the social hour. During the business discussions the "Share Your Talent Auction," sponsored

by Quad-City Church Women United, was discussed. The program will be held on Friday, Feb. 18, at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Members also voted to hold a bakery sale at the semi-annual meat sale, sponsored by the Brotherhood of the church on March 4 and 5. Proceeds from the project will be donated to Project Accessibility, it was noted.

The next meeting will be on March 3 with Mrs. Clara Winter serving as chairman.



MR. AND MRS. JOHN AUER, 3919

Summerview Drive, Hanover, Mo., formerly of Granite City, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with their three sons at their home. Mrs. Auer is the former Leona Tinsley. Both honorees attended Granite City schools.

Shower fetes Joni Smith

Joni Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Smith, 45 Terrace Lane, was honored with a bridal luncheon given by Rosalie Bunte, Nancy Hall and Brenda Santanillo at St. Peter church fellowship hall, during the weekend.

Christie Devine, maid of honor, assisted Miss Smith in opening her gifts. The gift table was adorned with pink net skirts, accented with pink and burgandy bows at the corners and a pink and burgandy balloon bouquet was the center piece.

Lunch was served at 1 p.m. to the honoree, Mrs. Evelyn Smith, mother of the bride-to-be, Joyce Willmore, mother of the groom-elect and Mrs. Lillie Graf, grandmother of the groom, and to 38 guests.

The tables were covered with pink cloth and the centerpiece was a large heart with pink and burgandy silk flowers and doves while the other tables held candles with burgandy bows at the base of each. Ceramic heart shaped favors were at each place.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to the winners with JoAnne Steele receiving the attendance prize.

Miss Smith will be married to Richard A. Willmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Willmore, 2600 E. 27th St., Saturday, April 2, at the Calvary Baptist Church.

Frances Lynch gives program

Miss Frances Lynch presented the program at a meeting of Bay View Reading Club held in the home of Mrs. Chris Louis, Thursday afternoon.

She chose, "Sadat, the man who changed Middle East History," by George Sullivan, as her topic.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames E. M. Arnovitz, Arthur Bunte, Herman Huxel, Walter Klein, A. E. Krum-siek, Lawrence McCauley, Dale Rea, James Stuart and Miss Hazel Towery. Mrs. Rea invited the group to meet in her home for the next meeting.



Debra Steinbach and Steven Buchanan

Buchanan-Steinbach

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Meyer of Mount Olive, Ill., are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Debra Louise Steinbach and Steven Wayne Buchanan.

The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buchanan of Granite City.

Miss Steinbach is a 1982

graduate of Mount Olive High School.

Her fiancé graduated in 1979 from Granite City High School South and is presently employed at Rellly Tar and Chemical in Granite City. The engaged couple are completing plans for an Aug. 27 wedding.

Reyes Syndrome is program topic

After the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Eagles Auxiliary a Reyes Syndrome presentation and film was given by Luther Shaffer, which was attended by both Aerie and Auxiliary members.

This is a disease which affects children. Shaffer has given about 85 talks throughout the state to various hospitals and civic organizations, and he would welcome any invitations to speak for groups, it was announced.

Vernie Von Nida, president of the auxiliary, presided over the meeting, at which time one new member, Judy Diak, was initiated. Also, applications of 14 new candidates were read and approved. The new candidates are to be initiated at the quarterly Southern District Meeting of Auxiliaries to be held at the Alton Eagles Home on Feb. 20 at 2 p.m. Auxiliary members are asked to meet at the local Eagles Home at

12 noon on that date to go to Alton. The "Aerie Officers' Breakfast was held at the Eagles Home on Feb. 13 at 9 a.m. attended by all officers and members.

The Eagles Grand Aerie is sponsoring a contest for third through sixth grades with a theme of "What I Like Best About My Home Town," which will be based on originality as well as artistic ability. Literature is to be distributed to the grade schools, the president noted.

It was announced that the auxiliary state officers meetings are scheduled for Feb. 19 and 20 at Chester; and Feb. 26 at Shiloh.

A thank you card from Bernice Johannigmeier was sent for flowers sent in remembrance of her late husband.

The attendance prize was won by Gladys Freeman and the white elephant prize by Florence Hagauer.

The meeting adjourned until Feb. 22 at 8 p.m.

Anchorage seniors hear reports

The Anchorage Senior Citizens Club meeting was attended by 61 members. The meeting was conducted by President Augusta Lampe.

Secretary Leona Bain and Treasurer Vivian Mitchell and Sunshine Lady Woody Lynn gave their monthly reports.

Viola Kennedy was the guest of Carmen Allen.

New members introduced were Madeline Holmes and Evelyn Smith.

Mrs. Lampe updated progress on state legislation concerning the current requirement that those 60 and older are required to take

periodic written tests. A proposed bill would eliminate that requirement.

According to Mrs. Lampe, the written test is a feared discriminatory requirement for seniors. The Anchorage seniors previously sent a petition protesting the law.

The noon potluck luncheon will be held this Wednesday at Anchorage Hall.

Birthday greetings were sung to all present celebrating birthdays in February. Coffee and cake were served and members participated in games.

Birthday honorees were Evelyn Morgan, Josephine Wilkins, Mary Forcade, Edna Straub, Della Smallwood, Pearl Bailey, John Henry, Maria Tessari, Carrie Durell and Leona Bain.

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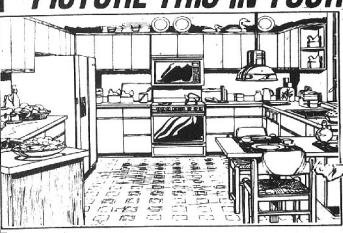
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Robert Koehne and Patricia Gray

Koehne-Gray

The engagement of Miss Patricia Gray and Airman Robert Koehne is being announced by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Doreen Gray, 3945 Park Lane.

Parents of the prospective groom, Mr. and Mrs. Ed (Glady's) Koehne, reside at Rural Route One, Rockbridge, Ill.

Miss Gray graduated from Granite City High School North in 1978 and is attending Southern Illinois

University at Edwardsville. She is a member of Alpha Phi Women's Fraternity.

Her fiancé also is enrolled at SIUE and is a 1978 graduate of Greenfield High School and a member of the National Honor Society. He will leave in two weeks for basic training with the U.S. Air Force at Lackland AFB, Texas.

The betrothed couple plan to be married on Oct. 15.

Cloverview studies geranium planting

A detailed program on growing geranium plants from seeds, a method which was not used by home gardeners until recently, was presented by Mrs. Albert Taylor Sr., at the February meeting of Cloverview Garden Club.

Mrs. Taylor said, "there is great satisfaction starting plants with the seed process and would cause our founders envy and pleasure. This particular process started in 1964 is rapidly growing among interested gardeners she added."

Members of the organization met in the home of Mrs. Charles Gandorfa, 2537 Lynch Ave., for a dessert luncheon to precede the meeting.

During the afternoon, Mrs. George Stearns spoke on the bluebird which has become very scarce and with the assistance of many groups and individuals they are trying to bring back the bluebird trail and houses. This project is being sponsored in numerous states with the help of Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs and other youth clubs who have become interested in the nearly extinct bird.

A program on the scientific approach to summer mulching was delivered by Mrs. B. C. O'Neill. She told of the many purposes of the program noting mulching aids in weed control, soil moisture and erosion, soil temperature, acidity and is a soil nutrient. She also spoke on root distribution and how to use mulching to the best advantage.

To inform new members of the history of the club, Mrs. O'Neill reviewed activities of the group beginning with 1955, when the club was organized, through 1983 the year she served as president.

Each president will continue the program at forthcoming meetings and will speak on their accomplishments during their term of office.

Mrs. John Lentz, president, opened the session and the hostess led the club collect. Officers and committee chairmen submitted their monthly reports during the business session.

Mrs. Stearns, Terrace Lane, will host the March meeting, it was announced.

Class honors Mrs. Rippey

Mrs. Mildred Rippey was accorded honors, in observance of her birthday, at a meeting of the Twilight Sunday School Class of Mount Zion General Baptist Church, last week.

She was presented with a decorated cake and a King James version of the Bible, by the members.

Mrs. Bessie Phillips was hostess for the session and served refreshments to 13 members and a guest.

Opening prayer was offered by Mrs. Bertha Wolf followed by the business meeting conducted by Mrs. Harriett Phelps, class president.

Mrs. Phelps also led the devotional lesson which was a quiz on different quotations taken from the Bible, that are used for follow-up meditations on visitation.

Closing prayer was by Mrs. Bessie Rippey.

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Secretaries hear speaker

Mrs. Beverly Edwards from the Collinsville Career Center was the featured speaker at a monthly meeting of the Madison Chapter of Future Secretaries Association.

She discussed the qualities of a regular secretary and emphasized special skills such as typing, shorthand, machine transcribing and English. However, most of her comments related to the specialized areas of legal and medical secretaries.

Mrs. Edwards stressed the fact that there are many secretarial positions available today but employers are looking for employees who show a great deal of capability in the skill areas as well as attitude.

During her presentation, Mrs. Edwards displayed and gave a demonstration of a court recording machine. She also distributed comparative salary schedules to each one present.

Vice-president Tonya Avila presided over the business session prior to the program hour.

50th class reunion set

The graduates of the 1933 class of Granite City High School are planning the 50th class reunion to take place in the fall of this year.

A committee of six are now seeking addresses of former classmates. Final details of the social event will be announced later, they said.

For more information those interested are advised to call Mrs. Dolores (Summerton) Allen at 876-5876 or Mrs. Ruth (Adams) Thornberry at 831-2477.

Other members of the planning committee are, Jerry Walters, Richard Polley, Helen Ameling and Edward Goodwin.

Nameoki choir to appear on TV

The Adult Bell Choir of Nameoki United Methodist Church will appear on KTVI Channel 2 on Sunday, Feb. 20, at 7:15 on the program "God's Musical World." The choir will play "This Is My Father's World," arranged by P. Kiek, "God That Maden Earth and Heaven," arranged by D. Allured and "Fanfare For Bells" by M. McCreary.

Members of the choir are, Mary Harper, Miriam Ozanich, Carol Downing, Joyce Tracy, Linda Givens, Linda Ozanich, Pat Stevens, Stephanie Lathrop, Linda Yates, Sandy Wilkinson, Al Stevens, and David Lathrop. The choir is directed by Eunice Seaman.



SECRETARIAL SKILLS and a court reporting machine is the main topic of discussion at a meeting of the Madison Chapter of Future Secretaries Association. Front row from left, Tina Neal, Mrs. Beverly Edwards from the Collinsville Career Center who was the guest speaker. Lisa Starnes, Tammy Halliburton and Tammy Kemp. Back row, Melissa Scrum, Debra Krauskopf, Sonja McHenry, Margaret Black and Tonya Avila.

Cheryl Thomason is finalist

Cheryl Thomason, 17-year daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin (Joyce) Thomason, 2019 Lee Ave., was named one of 10 finalists in the Illinois Junior Miss Pageant held in Naperville, Ill.

She received a \$100 cash award, other gifts and expenses.

The first place winner was Amy Conrady of Alton who was the top winner in the Madison County Junior Miss Pageant. She will now advance to Mobile, Ala., for the national competition.

Miss Thomason was named Granite City's Junior Miss in October. She spent a week in Bolingbrook, Ill., preparing for the competitive program. During her stay there she lived with a host family and spent an evening at a wave pool, a roller skating rink, toured Chicago and visited the Sara Lee Bakery.

She competed in various categories including, judges interview, youth fitness, poise and appearance, talent, and scholastic achievement.

A student at Granite City High School South, Miss Thomason is involved in many school and civic activities. She is president of the Pep Club, vice-president of the Speech and Theater Club, editorial editor of the High World, an honor Thesis plan, member of the National Forensic League and is active in plays and musicals as well as other school programs.

The local girl has participated in programs for the Granite City Public Library and performed with Stan Fornasewski's Big Band Machine as a vocalist during the summer outdoor park district concerts and at the St. Elizabeth Medical Center Benefit Show.

MECHANIC TRAINING
Army Reserve Pvt. Walter L. Wallace, son of Rose F. Thompson of 2009 Edwardsville Road, Madison, has completed a wheeled-vehicle mechanic course at the Army Training Center, Fort Jackson, S.C. His father, Marvin E. Wallace, resides in Gillespie.



CHERYL THOMASON

Class hosts Valentine party

The Harmony Sunday School Class of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, held a Valentine party at Vera Burn's Cafeteria during the weekend.

A business meeting was conducted by the president, Edna Stith, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Corbitt and daughters, Ann and Della entertained the group by singing several special songs and a sing-a-long with the group.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Ruby Corbitt, and Clyde and Eula Myers, and Mrs. Vera Lynn presented Mrs. Stith with a decorated cake.

Guests present were, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lynn, Harold Schnell, Virgil Morrison, Otis Hensley, Mrs. Myra Gude, Mrs. Pearl Campbell and Miss Ella Ray Smith.

Members attending were, Mr. and Mrs. John Lerch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Frohardt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stith, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Compton, Mrs. Ida Carls, Esther Taylor, Ruby Corbitt, Mrs. Alice Cruse, Marie Tash, Thelma Clements, Pauline Gushelf, Doris Wiegner, Leona Cartwright, Fern Hahn, Bessie Milton, Edgar Paddock, and Helen and Gus Pringle.

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CORNERSTONE 33 AD, a gospel singing group from the St. Louis area, will perform at Bethesda Baptist Church, 3025 Nameoki Drive, at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 20. From left, Gary O'Neal, pianist, Glen Gobel, manager and former member of the Lester Family, Kim Royer, singing alto, Roger Matthews on the drums and Kent Gennings, bass. They have been traveling for 44 weeks, according to the Rev. Luther Abbott, host pastor.

FAMILY CONFLICT TOPIC OF SESSION

Doctors James Oliver and Robert Hughes, University of Illinois staff members, will teach a leader session on "Ways of Resolving Family Conflict" at 9:30 a.m., Feb. 28, at the County Extension office, 900 Hillsboro, Edwardsville. Oliver and Hughes will discuss types of conflicts; methods of resolving conflict between spouses, adult child and aging parent, and siblings and will present alternatives to "laying down the law."

This seminar is planned as a "training meeting for 60 Homemakers Extension Association lay teachers, but anyone interested may attend. The local leaders will repeat the information in a one-hour program for their Homemakers Extension Association units in March and April.

This class is sponsored by the University of Illinois Cooperative Extension Service as part of its adult education program in Madison County.

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Mrs. Jaimet gives lesson

A program entitled, "Electronic Maps and Push Button Car Locators," was presented by Mrs. Vivian Jaimet at the monthly potluck dinner meeting of the Fidelity Class of the Nameoki United Methodist Church.

Opening prayer was by Ralph Bailey and after the dinner hour Frank Carroll, president, conducted the business discussions.

Hosts for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jaimet and Mrs. Carroll.

During the session birthday wishes were extended to Jack Fricker.

An election of officers was held and those to serve for the ensuing year include:

Mrs. Jaimet, president, Tharah Erney, vice-president, Dorothy Wallace, secretary, Sara Belle Beyer, treasurer, Gladys Russell, corresponding secretary and Rod Key, program.

Installation ceremonies will be conducted in April, it was announced. Dorothy Wallace offered the closing meditations.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Russell, Mr.

and Mrs. Clarence Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blumentstock, Mary Long, Betty Ritz, Blanche DeBow, Tharah Erney, Pauline Canham, Mildred Robertson, and Nell Talley.

Rebecca Shaver captures title

Rebecca Lynn Shaver, entered in the four to six year old category, was crowned "Little Miss Jamestown Mail" for 1983 out of 81 contestants from Illinois and Missouri.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Shaver and is a first grade student at St. Elizabeth Catholic School.

Each of the youngsters was required to model a sportswear outfit, a dress and recite a phrase of 12 words incorporating the words Jamestown Mail.

The local girl received a tiara, wall plaque and \$25 gift certificate and is now a member of the Jamestown Mail Trend Board and will model in all their fashion shows.

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They were also given to George and Josephine Gochett for the couple married for the longest length of time.

Mike Lombardi extended appreciation to those who helped serve refreshments and spoke of the palubear committee who serve during the year.

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Chapter 1340 plans future programs

Granite City Area Chapter 1340 of the American Association of Retired Persons, Inc., will have a busy schedule of activities during the spring months this year, according to announcements made at a monthly meeting held in the Granite City Township Hall, last week.

Future events planned include a special hat parade, in keeping with the Easter season, scheduled for the April meeting, the annual awards dinner dance will be held in May and Art Linde announced 94 people are registered to attend the Ice Capades in March.

The next meeting talk will be presented at the Harold Brown Recreation Center on March 16 by two representatives of the University of Illinois Agriculture Extension Service, and the Senior Fellowship at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville on March 21.

Elna Hoover, district coordinator of the Tax-Aide program announced Russell Moss, a local tax-aid coordinator and his counselors, are assisting older citizens in preparing their federal and state income tax returns every Tuesday and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Tri-Cities American Red Cross building, 2100 Edison Ave., the former St. Joseph Catholic School.

President Ruth Allen opened the meeting by welcoming 220 members and Ruby Corbett led the group in repeating a prayer and pledge of allegiance.

Guests introduced included Virgil Worley, president of the newly organized Quad-Cities Chapter of AARP and Edith Worley, secretary of the chapter. He invited anyone interested in attending day meetings and added the chapter meets at 9:30 a.m. every four Wednesday of the month at Anchora Recreation Hall.

Gertrude Walter and Juanita Crowley gave reports and Elizabeth McDevitt reported 12 new applications for membership which will be voted on at the March session.

Mrs. Retta Cotter gave the list of sunshine and sympathy cards sent to members during the month.

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Also Anna Lehmann, Helen Bergfield, Olive Han, Adolph Stanek, Clara Ash, Bernice Crimmons, Josephine Gochett, Vincenz Zerian, Fern House, Harvey House, Julia Maliner, and Lucille Pierce.

After refreshments were served the chapter Rhythm Band entertained with music and special skills.

The next meeting is set for March 9 at 7 p.m. at the township hall.

Orthodox Church Council to meet

The Council of Orthodox Churches of the St. Louis area will hold a meeting today at St. Cyril and Method Eastern Orthodox Church, 4770 Maryville Road.

The council, composed presently of eight active member Orthodox parishes, plans liturgical services, spiritual retreats, and lecture series, as well as uniting the Orthodox faithful of the area as an expression of an already existing unity of theological vision and sacramental life.

At the biannual meeting new officers for the upcoming year will be elected. In addition, the council will formulate plans for a full "pan-orthodox" observance and celebration of Great Lent, beginning this year for the Orthodox on March 21, according to the Rev. Steven Kostoff.

Sisterhood hosts chili supper

The Dewey Avenue United Methodist Church will attend a chili supper and held a business meeting at the church for its February gathering.

Valentine motifs decorated the tables and members received a red rose corsage as a favor.

The Sisterhood members served the chili supper to friends, members, guests and patrons during the day and evening, as a fund raising project.

Miss Evelyn Thompson, president, held a short meeting to discuss the March 11 nam and bean dinner to be held at the church.

Tickets costing \$2.25 for adults and \$1.25 for children, may be purchased from any member or at the door on the day of the project. Serving will be from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., and is open to the public, she added.

INITIATED INTO HONOR FRATERNITY

The University of Missouri-Rolla chapter of Chi Epsilon, national civil engineering honor fraternity, recently initiated 28 members, including Joseph G. DeKuntz, 2154 State St., Granite City.

Members of Chi Epsilon are chosen on the basis of scholarship, character, practicality and sociability.



QUEEN OF HEARTS of the Women of the Moose, Chapter 247, is Sharon McWilliam, seated in front of a huge red Valentine, following the ceremonial conducted at the Moose Lodge during the weekend. Standing on left is her brother and escort, Charles Nichols. First maid, left, is Delilah Kramer with her husband, Dennis Kramer standing directly at her back, and on the right is second maid, Sharon Hancock with her husband, Kenny Hancock. Seated in the front is Tracy Petrillo, crown bearer, Tanya McWilliam and Tanya Green, pages and Noel Pyatt, trophy bearer.

Sharon McWilliam crowned 1983 Queen of Hearts

Sharon McWilliam was crowned Queen of Hearts for 1983 at the 26th annual Queen of Hearts Ball, hosted by the Women of the Moose, Chapter 247 at the Moose Lodge, during the weekend.

Mrs. Verice Von Nida, a member of the College of Regents, served as mistress of ceremonies and welcomed 200 members and guests at the festive February affair.

Mrs. McWilliam was escorted by her brother, Charles Nichols. The retiring queen, Dorothy Reyes, crowned the 1983 queen, who was attending maids participating in the coronation.

Mrs. Reyes was escorted by Arnel Reyes.

Each of the elected party carried traditional bouquets of red and white carnations tied with wide red satin ribbons.

Moose Governor Jim Tadlock escorted Senior

Regent Sylvia Woods into the ballroom to open the annual festivities.

Escorts for the queen and her court were past regents and members of the College of Regents, Clara Johnson, Theola Garcia, Jean Teller, Edna Miller, Billy Selfick, Marian Lipscomb, Mary Murgie, Virginia Sever, Iris Chastain and Marie Hampton.

The first maid was Delilah Kramer who was escorted by Dennis Kramer and second maid was Sharon Hancock and her escort was Kenny Hancock. Noel Pyatt was the trophy bearer and Tracy Petrillo served as the crown bearer. Pages were Tanya McWilliam and Tanya Green.

Runners-up contestants were Carol Hill, Rhonda Mayfield and Lois Smith. They were presented at court by Roy Hill, John

Mayfield and Joe Smith.

Gifts were presented to the "royal family" by Governor Tadlock and Senior Regent Sylvia Woods, on behalf of the Moose Lodge and the Women of the Moose Chapter.

Junior Regent Benita Boyd, chairman of the ball, was introduced with other officers, Pat Macke, treasurer, Karen Anders, chaplain, Jean Teller, recorder and Theola Garcia, junior graduate regent.

Past queens attending were: Doris Martin, Georgia Pope, Linda Pyatt, Mildred Walker, Sue Goodman, Jerry Seves, Rosella Mead, Theola Garcia and Iris Chastain.

After the ceremony members and guests enjoyed an evening dancing in the hall lavishly decorated in a red and white Valentine motif.

Johnson PTA plans fun day

Johnson School PTA members agreed to hold a "free fun day" instead of the annual Fun Festival for the students during school hours on May 20. The discussion was held at the February meeting.

All games and refreshments will be available to the pupils at no cost, according to the president.

Brownie Troop 374, represented by Amanda Welter, Laurie Robinson and Penny Tingley, conducted the opening ceremony.

A program entitled, "Roles in a Chemically Dependent Family" was presented by Virginia Dellamano from St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

She explained that an entire family of an alcoholic needs help, it is a treatable disease and without treatment the alcoholic will die. During her talk she noted that alcoholism is hereditary and can be traced as far back as grandparents.

This disease affects the whole family and all are in need of help to cope with the situation. Children play separate roles from the oldest who is most likely to be the "hero," the second or third child is usually a scapegoat or clown while a

fourth or last child will be the lost child.

Approach an alcoholic with love and not with disgust, the speaker concluded.

The attendance banner was awarded to both Mrs. Janice Dittman's fifth grade and Miss Janice Hinkley's third grade class. Prizes for the evening were awarded to Evelyn Birkhead, Judy Russell, Linda Wozniak, Becky Seay and Katie Wilson.

Refreshments were provided by the third grade room mothers.

Mrs. Williams shower honoree

Mrs. Darrell (Vickie Bailey) Williams, 2808 Enzee Ave., was guest of honor at a cradle shower given by Diana Forsy, a sister-in-law, Sherri Scrum, a cousin, Cindy Smith, and Mrs. Lucille Wilson, an aunt, in the latter's home this week.

Crown decorations in blue, yellow and pink dominated the room and a cake frosted with a stork and infant was served at the buffet luncheon.

Guests attending were Misses Kim Hensler, Brenda Bussey, Jeannie Wilke, Daria Covelsky, Tolece Williams, Angie Connor, April and Tina Forsy, Shena Scrum, Cathy Wilson, Crystal Wilson and Peggy West.

Also Mesdames Josephine Bailey, Jonnie Williams, Grace Williams, Nettie Cuvar, Wilma Scrum, Fern Derossett, Betty Howard and Cecelia Drogazali.

MAKES DEAN'S LIST Keith Malench, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Malench, 2536 Adams St., has been named to the Dean's List at Washington University in St. Louis. A graduate of Granite City High School South, he is majoring in business administration.

McKENDREE PRESENTS 'FEIFFER'S PEOPLE' McKendree Theater Productions will present "Feiffer's People" by Jules Feiffer in three performances, March 10, 11 and 12, at 8 p.m. in Eisenhower Auditorium, McKendree College campus.

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Golden Agers meet for dinner

The Golden Age Circle Club met last week at the Kirkpatrick Homes Recreation Center for its monthly potluck dinner.

Ruby Corbitt, president, was in charge and welcomed the guests. Forty-seven members attended.

A Valentine theme was used on the tables and a poem related to the occasion was read by Earl Spalding.

An invocation was offered prior to dinner. Assisting in serving were Caroline Lux, vice president, Jennie Moody, Edith Young, Peggy Gebbas and Loretta Wyskocil.

The afternoon hours were spent at games. Those excelling and winning awards were Edgar Padlock, Effie Johnson, Vi Lindner, Theresa Walkenbach, Lumeta Durbin, Art Lindner and Mrs. Wyskocil.

MARRIED COUPLES' ENRICHMENT EVENT

The Marriage and Family Program at the National Shrine of Our Lady the Snows will sponsor a marriage enrichment weekend from tomorrow to Sunday at 9500 W. Route 15. Couples will examine and reaffirm the values of Christian marriage and especially the needs of their own relationship.

Away from pressures of everyday living, the couples share understanding, insights, pain and delight of married life. Sharing sessions are structured and involve input from a team, with opportunity for group discussion. However, the degree of participation is left to each person's judgment.

Her father is employed at Granite City Steel.

DR. W. C. VAUGHN

Calvary Baptist to hear scholar

Dr. W. Curtis Vaughn will teach the New Testament book of First Peter in a Bible Conference to be held Feb. 18-20 at the Calvary Baptist Church, 3000 Washington Ave.

Dr. Vaughn has been a professor of New Testament at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, since 1950. He will be teaching in sessions at 7 p.m., Friday 11 a.m., Saturday, and at all regular services on Sunday.

The public is invited to hear this New Testament scholar teach the Bible during these three days. Rev. Chester Parker announces.

Catholic parishes set mission day

In every Catholic parish throughout the Springfield Diocese, Sunday, Feb. 27, is the annual Mission and Membership appeal to help some 138,000 missionaries continue their work in over 300 mission dioceses around the world.

"The World Needs Christ" is the theme of this year's appeal. From the Springfield Diocese, 48 religious people are among those who serve in this world wide mission apostolate which assists more than 100,000 schools, 2,347 orphanages, 1,000 hospitals, 127 leprosaria and 867 homes for the aged.

The Rev. Kevin B. Sullivan, Diocesan Mission Director, 880 S. Fifth, P.O. Box 419, Springfield, Ill. 62705, is in charge of contributions.

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Her career objectives and how the scholarship will benefit in this area; a letter of reference from three persons related to the applicant; and an attached statement outlining current financial status.

The awards will be presented at the club's annual "Public Relations" dinner meeting, scheduled April 20, Mrs. Bischoff said.

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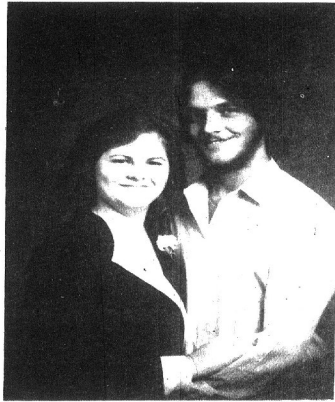
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Bridget Fry and Mike Morris

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Former Granite City residents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fry who now reside in Houston, Texas, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bridget Renee Fry to Mike Morris son of Mrs. Sherry Harris of Houston, and Earl Morris of Mount Holly, N.C.

Miss Fry attended Granite City schools before moving

to Houston four and a half years ago. She is presently employed as a cashier at one of Charlie Thomas Ford Agencies in Houston.

Her fiancé graduated from Bayside High School in Mount Holly, and is working at Universal Dry Wall Co. in Houston.

The engaged couple are planning an early summer wedding and will make their home in Houston.

Mrs. Gladys Phelps and Mrs. Gladys Brewer, grandmothers of the bride-elect reside in Granite City as does her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fry.

Mrs. Ruth Hancock offered the opening prayer and Mrs. Norma Rains gave the lesson on the subject, "God Speaks in Many Ways."

Mrs. Dawson announced the four mission coordinators will accompany her to the President's Tea to take place on Feb. 27 in Troy, Ill.

Hostesses, Luan Briner and Alma Cowan, served refreshments to Blanche Debow, Mary Bailey, Pat Bernaia, Helene Bischoff, Dorothy Wallace, Gail Klee, Carole Poole, and those named.

Mrs. Bernaia gave the closing prayer.

Three local women chosen among country's outstanding

Two residents and a former resident have been informed that they were selected as Outstanding Young Women of America for 1982.

Cynthia Lynn Jones, 30 Melvin Drive, Rose Ann Price, 2460 Hodges Ave., and Janet L. Harolan, 936 Chancellor Drive, formerly of Granite City, were chosen by the Board of Advisors for the Outstanding Young Women of America Awards Program.

The program is designed to honor and encourage exceptional young women between 21 and 36 years of age who have distinguished themselves in their homes, their professions and their communities.

Leading women's organizations, college alumni associations and public officials nominate women to participate in the program.

The three local women, along with 25,000 others chosen in the program, will be presented at the

prestigious annual awards volume and are being considered for state awards. Of the 51 state award winners, the 10 Outstanding Young Women of America will be chosen and honored at the annual awards luncheon in Washington, D.C.

FISH FRY, DANCE AT POLISH HALL

The annual St. Stanislaus Lodge 1004 fish fry will be Friday, Feb. 18, at Polish Hall, 826 Greenwood St., Madison. Dinners will cost \$3.25 and will include cod fish, spaghetti, slaw, cake and coffee.

Dinner will be served from 3 to 6 p.m. Curryouts and extra sandwiches will be available.

After the fish fry, there will be a dance with the "Remede" Polka Band featured from 8 p.m. to midnight. The \$5 admission includes beer, set-ups and snacks, according to the lodge chairman.



WINNER. Sara Poznanovich of Madison captured first place in the Most Photogenic Division of the Universal Pageant Systems show at the Granite City Township Hall. The 11-month old competitor will now advance to the state level and if successful attend national contests at Las Vegas, Nev., in August.

LAURA FLINN

Laura Flinn in contests

Laura Michelle Flinn, 16-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flinn of South Roxana, formerly of Granite City, was named Miss Sweetheart in the beginner 16-20 age category of competition held at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

She also won first place awards in beginning solo, military and parade majorette, a second in instate solo and took overall high point honors.

In earlier competition Miss Flinn was named Miss Winter Wonderland taking first place honors in advanced dress modeling, advanced sportswear modeling, most photogenic, modeling to music, TV interpretation, costume modeling and talent (singing) and was awarded overall high point honors.

Her father is employed at Granite City Steel.

BPW scholarships available to women

The Granite City Business and Professional Women's Club has two \$200 scholarships available for women who are interested in furthering their education. It was announced this week by Helene Bischoff, BPW Scholarship Committee chairman.

Applications for either grant must be submitted by March 15 to: Helene Bischoff, 1603 Amos Ave., Granite City, Ill. 62040.

The Verna Lengyel Scholarship, initiated in 1972, is awarded to a BPW member who wishes to advance her education in the field of her choice and also shows financial need. Mrs. Bischoff explained. She added that the recipient must agree to remain a member of the organization for a two-year period.

The second grant is available to any woman working or residing in the area served by the Illinois Federation of BPW Clubs, with priority given to those residing in the Quad-Cities. Applicants are not required to be BPW members.

61 at More-the-Merrier event

Sixty-one members attended the More-the-Merrier Senior Club bingo night last week at the Granite City Township Center, 2060 Delmar Ave.

Beta Gamma meets

The Precceptor Beta Gamma Chapter recently met at the home of Terry Gullege, Carol Cathey, president, opened the meeting with an executive board report and announced that the meeting night was changed.

Mrs. Gullege, recording secretary and B. J. Jones, treasurer, gave reports. Mrs. Jones said that orders for Stanley's products were turned in and announced that other ways and means projects are progressing.

Linda Koenig, vice president, said that the group may order Beta Sigma Phi handbooks and that catalogue items need to be turned in by Feb. 21. Marilyn Lumpkins gave a report for the city council, announcing that Founders' Day will be April 27 and the chapter is responsible for decorations.

The traveling basket of the evening was brought by Donna Lane and won by Mrs. Cathey.

Mrs. Gullege presented the cultural program on self-hypnosis and, following group discussion, she served a dessert course. Betty Beck also was in attendance.

The next meeting will be at 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 21, at the home of Miss Lumpkins.

The concert is free and open to the public. For additional information, interested persons may contact Stan at the department of music, 1-692-3900.

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To screen candidates Feb. 19 & 26

The Tri-City Trades and Labor Council's screening committee will interview political candidates seeking the endorsement of organized labor on two consecutive Saturdays, Feb. 19 and 26.

The interviews, open to the public, will take place in hall three at the Labor Temple, 2014 State St. All interviews will be on a first-come first-served basis and the interviews will be open to local candidates for city, school, park and any other political offices.

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FOUND NEAR CAR ALLEGES THEFT

Mark A. Crider, 19, of 835 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell, was charged in a state complaint with misdemeanor theft, following a weekend incident in the 2900 block of Delmar Avenue.

Police went to the scene after learning of a prowler in the area and they discovered Crider, lying on the ground with a tire tool lying nearby.

A vehicle in the rear yard at that address, belonging to John Pierce, was found to have its left front wheel and tire missing. The wheel and tire were recovered from the south side of the house and Crider was arrested.

At the booking window, officers allegedly removed five lug nuts from Crider's possession, reports stated. Crider was released after paying a \$102 cash bond.

COMPLETES BASIC NAVY SEAMAN

Dale R. Risinger, son of Glen W. and Alma Risinger, 3029 Willow Ave., has completed eight weeks of recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Establish regions for Job Training Act

Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA) Director Peter B. Fox announced last week the Illinois State Job Training Coordinating Council has been formed as a first step toward establishing the state's policy on administering the new federal Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA).

At the same time, he released a map of proposed Service Delivery Areas of the state.

"The effect of this new law can make a big difference in the economy of Illinois and we intend to create the best possible programs under its provisions," Fox said.

"The coordinating council, composed of representatives of private industry, government, labor, education, community-based organiza-

tions and the general public, has already begun working with DCCA to plan for the smooth transition to JTPA from current CETA programs. I feel confident Illinois will benefit from the change," he added.

Under the act, approved by Congress last fall, local government and business leaders will work together in planning and managing local training programs. Private industry councils will be established in each service delivery area to work with local elected officials in developing a two-year job-training plan for their area.

Upon the governor's approval of the plan, a local administrative entity will operate the program in its area under DCCA's auspices.

The new law places emphasis on local business needs. We think the added responsibility of local business people, elected officials and training providers will result in more jobs for our workforce. That, after all, is the bottom line of the legislation," Fox said.

The council held its first meeting Jan. 20 to propose the map of Service Delivery Areas for Illinois. This initial task, required by federal law, is based on recommendations from an analysis of the state's labor markets, commuting patterns, population distribution, employment and training resources.

The map outlines service areas throughout the state based on basic geographic



units and the desire to build service delivery around those units.

The public has until March 15 to make suggestions or recommendations regarding the map. The department will publish a final version March 31.

Madison County has been clustered into Region 19 with St. Clair, Bond, Clinton, Washington, Monroe and Randolph counties.



NORTH STUDENTS ADVANCE. Six speech students from Granite City High School North advanced to the sectional tournament after placing in the Illinois High School Association Regional Speech Tournament at Granite City High School South. Seated from the left are Anna Carlsson, an exchange student from Sweden who placed third in dramatic interpretation, and Susan Beasley who, with Scott Eberhart, placed third in dramatic duet acting. Standing from the left are: Rebekah Burnette, third in original oratory; Bryce Moore, second in radio speaking; Eberhart and Karen Fuller, third in humorous duet acting, and Richard King, coach and contest manager. The three top qualifiers at the sectional contest in O'Fallon will advance to the state tournament, Feb. 18 and 19, at Downers Grove South.



SOUTH QUALIFIERS. The Illinois High School Association Regional Individual Events Tournament was hosted recently at Granite City High School South. The above students advanced to the sectional tournament at O'Fallon High School. Front row, from the left are: Karen Moore and Dave Williams, second place, humorous duet acting, and Bart Lane and John Rutledge, first place, dramatic duet acting. Back row: Tim Streicher, first place, extemporaneous speaking, and Angela Ybarra, second place, verse reading. Lane also won first place in original comedy. The individual events team is coached by Ron Pennell.

CAMP SUNNEN FILLING FAST

Because of the number of Scout troops already registered, the first two weeks of the 1983 camping season at Camp Sunnen (June 19-25 and June 26-July 2), have been closed.

The third week (July 3-9), still is open and a fourth week is being considered, if more troops sign up for the third week.

GOSPEL GROUP AT CHURCH OF GOD

"Joshua," a gospel singing group from Webster Groves, Mo., will be appearing at the Church of God, 1205 W. Pontoon Road, according to the Rev. Tom Edwards, host pastor.

They will perform at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 23. The public is invited to attend the minister added.

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Governor's group asks ICC to reconsider IP rate hike

The Governor's Office of Consumer Services (GOCS) has asked the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) to reconsider the \$106 million rate increase it granted Illinois Power Company (IPC) last month.

"The rate hike the ICC approved Jan. 12 for Illinois Power was based primarily on \$250 million in construction costs at the Clinton Power Plant," said Al Grandys, GOCS director.

Small Business Advisory Commission is appointed

Governor James R. Thompson has announced that he has appointed a Small Business Advisory

Versatile, high-quality casting here

By BILL WINTER of the Press-Record

The giant-sized continuous caster at Granite City Steel is a winner, producing steel of unusually fine metallurgical quality and adapting to a wide range of alloys, Granite City Rotarians were told last week.

Introduced by GC Steel Vice-President Terry Seabolt, James Squires spoke and showed projections of photos, drawings and data to describe the advanced technology that is being utilized.

Squires, a 1956 Granite City High School graduate, advanced through the ranks to become general superintendent of steelmaking operations. He has visited nine countries in studying continuous casting.

Describing National Steel Corporation's approach to casting, Squires said that the best anywhere in the Northern Hemisphere, Squires said GC Steel is able to produce more than 100 different grades of steel through continuous casting and up to 90 percent during the current recession, whereas overall production is below normal.

The alternative to the continuous process is to make steel ingots and then convert them to flat-rolled products, it was noted.

Key elements of quality assurance include desulfurization, constant testing, temperature control, computerized data recording, transfer ladles and use of oscillating, copper-lined molds, Squires related.

He said "state of the art" equipment has been installed and the results have been outstanding, particularly in the last 12 months.

The speaker's responsibilities include the basic oxygen furnace, continuous caster, slab yard, mold foundry, and blooming mill.

Unless precise control tolerances are maintained, continuous casting can quickly produce steel usable only as scrap, reducing ingredients worth more than \$600 a ton to less than \$100 a ton.

And some of the caster's operations cannot be evaluated until after production, Squires said, but the process is a significant breakthrough for several reasons—yield is improved, energy costs are reduced sharply, and steel quality is enhanced.

Granite City Steel's peak production year was 1979. With its modernization, the local division is geared for new records, when economic conditions recover and orders increase, the club was told.

The plant makes steel in 235-ton units.

Continuous casting that started here March 2, 1981, produces 8.7-inch-thick slabs, 49 to 84 inches wide, Squires said.

It is theoretically possible to make a slab as long as the distance from Granite City to East St. Louis. The caster has a current replacement value of \$70 million, the speaker estimated.

Despite the large investment, the key to continuous casting success is the "dedicated and knowledgeable" staff which runs the equipment, he concluded.

"Given past ICC rulings that IPC needed additional revenues to finance its construction program, the village of Buffalo believes that more attention should have been paid to expert testimony by village lawyer during hearings on the rate request," he said.

Grandys said the GOCS action Wednesday, called an application for Rehearing and Reconsideration, was

Commission to study the special needs of small- and medium-sized Illinois firms. The panel will report back to the governor with recommendations in May.

"I have directed Lieutenant Governor George Ryan to serve as chairman of the Illinois Small Business Advisory Commission, made up of a representative cross-section of those with particular small business interests," said Thompson.

Thompson said the group will hold its first meeting at 10 a.m. Feb. 23 at the Springfield Hilton. The advisory commission expects at that session to divide itself into three smaller groups that will delve into specific small business concerns, such as getting financing, starting a small business, controlling energy costs, and others.

The three groups will be looking at the state's so-called "reg-flex" (regulatory flexibility for small business) program to determine how well it's working or if it needs to be expanded; access to financing for small business; and every state, local, federal and private source is tapped, and how to ensure smaller firms can procure government contracts.

"This is not designed to be a group with an indefinite life," said Thompson. "Rather, it's small business experts who will work intensely on their problems for a short time so that we in the executive branch know precisely how to respond to them in the upcoming legislative session."

The governor said he welcomes an exchange of ideas with two select legislative committees set up by House Speaker Michael Madigan. Madigan directed State Rep. Richard Mautino of Springfield to chair a committee on small business and asked Rep. Larry Stuffle of Danville to head one on economic development in general. Statewide hearings are planned.

"The speaker and I both have the same deep concern for the many Illinois residents who want work but can't find it," said Thompson. "I believe the work of his select committees and the advisory commission, as I'm announcing can, and should, complement one another."

Thompson also said Ryan, a former House speaker, will be able to quickly determine from his years in the General Assembly how best to turn the group's ideas into effective legislative proposals. Ryan also owns a Kankakee pharmacy, making him aware of small business concerns.

Although specific procedures have not been formalized, in general the work of the commission will be shared with both the governor and Peter B. Fox, director of the department of Commerce and Community Affairs, before any action is taken.

"In some cases," said Thompson, "we may be able to improve the small business climate through mere administrative changes, and in others, we're certain to be better served by proposing legislation. But in any case, I'm determined to do all in my power to help our Illinois small businesses."

LANDSCAPE SCHOOL TO START MARCH 7

Landscape school will start March 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the University of Illinois extension office, 900 Hillboro Ave., Edwardsville, 626-6006. Floyd Gilei, horticulture specialist, will speak on the telenet system March 7 on landscape design. March 14 on creating a design. March 21 on smaller landscape plants. March 28 on larger landscape plants and April 4 on the putting plants in the design.

Workshop on legal rights of disabled

Do the disabled have any rights that non-disabled persons do not have? What's involved in being a guardian? What individual rights do nursing home residents have? These and other questions will be addressed at the second in a series of five workshops sponsored by the Easter Seal Society of Southern Illinois, in conjunction with Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. The workshop, entitled "Legal Rights of the Disabled," will be in the Maple Room of the University Center, on Tuesday, Feb. 22, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

The panel of speakers includes Fred Firestone from the guardianship and Advocacy Commission in Alton, Tom Kennedy of the Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation, Inc., Bill Whiteside of SIUE, Kay Beuhne, a guardianship counselor and supervisor with the state of Illinois, and Cathy Collins of the Paralegal Advocate Legal Advocacy Service.

Cost to attend the workshop is \$10, which includes all materials, information packets and coffee breaks. As an added plus, continuing education credits will be made available to Special Education students at SIUE.

Other workshops in the series are entitled: "Financial Assistance and Social Security Issues," March 15; "Adapting Your Way to Independence," April 5, and "Leisure and Recreational Programming for the Disabled," May 3.

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CAR CLUB TO MEET

The Steel City Street Rods Car Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 17, at Pantera's Pizza, 1535 Johnson Road. Anyone owning a pre-1949 automobile is being invited to attend. The club follows the rules of the National Street Rod Association.

Free cheese at four locations

Free government surplus cheese will be given away at four township sites on Tuesday to residents meeting certain federal income requirements.

The Madison County Economic Opportunity Commission, acting as the area distribution agency, has been allotted 33,400 pounds. Venice, Nameoki and Chouteau townships will be giving away a total of 7,100 pounds.

Granite City Township has voluntarily withdrawn from the cheese distribution program. Granite City residents will not be eligible to pick up cheese in other townships.

Cheese will be given away Tuesday in the following manner:

At Chouteau Township, cheese will be available only to low-income township residents who have registered in advance at the Chouteau Township Social Center on North Thorngate Drive, Mitchell, from 9 a.m. to noon

and 1 to 4 p.m. on Thursday or Friday. The office will be closed on Monday. Cheese distribution will start at 9 a.m. on Tuesday at the township office and continue until 4 p.m. if the supply lasts. If cheese is still available, it also will be handed out on Wednesday.

At Nameoki Township, cheese will be given to low-income township residents at two locations, the Nameoki Township office, 4250 Highway 182, and at the State Park Fire Hall. Advanced registration is not required, but income cards must be filled out at the time of the distribution.

The cheese giveaway will begin at 8:30 a.m. at both locations. A spokesman warned that, due to the demand, the supply could be exhausted within a half hour.

The Venice Township office, 1506 Fifth St., Venice, will handle the cheese distribution for both Venice and Madison residents. Cheese will not

be given away at the Dunbar Johnson Community Service Center, as in the past.

Advanced sign-up will be required at the township office from 9 a.m. to noon only on Thursday and Friday. The office will be closed on Monday.

Venice cheese distribution will begin at 9 a.m. on Tuesday.

To be eligible to accept cheese at any of the three townships, a proof-of-income card must be filled out. Residents must bring proof of income for all members in their households and identification showing place of residence.

Proof of income could include check stubs, Social Security information, unemployment cards or medical cards.

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Amvets announce contests Bracelet can save your life

The Amvets Post 51 Auxiliary has announced its annual Americanism Poster, Essay and Coloring Contest. The theme for all three categories is "We Are Free Because."

First place winners in all three categories will receive \$50 savings bonds, and the winning entries also will be entered in state competition during the June Amvets Auxiliary Department Convention in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Only fifth grade students are eligible for the poster contest. Rules include: the poster must not be rolled; poster board size must be at least 20 inches by 22 inches, not to exceed 24 inches by 30 inches. Chalk may not be used, paints or crayons only will be accepted. The poster must include drawing, stencils, cutouts from magazines and the like will not be accepted.

Each entry must include an explanation in 25 words or less, done in ink and attached to the back of the poster, using the theme, "We Are Free Because."

Originality, neatness, artistic ability and patriotic inspiration each count for 25 points in the judging of entries.

Only sixth grade students are eligible for the essay contest. Rules include: each essay must be 200 to 250 words in length, using the theme; essays of more than 250 words will be disqualified, and essays must be handwritten in ink to qualify.

Literary construction, originality, patriotic inspiration and neatness count for 25 points each in judging.

Only third and fourth grade students are eligible for the coloring contest. Entrants must use only the picture available to the local auxiliaries by contacting

Betty Wilkins, Americanism chairman, at 877-8307.

Judging will be based entirely on neatness.

Entry forms in all three categories must include name of the child, address and telephone number (if different from the child's); school presently attended; teacher's name and principal's name, and age of the child.

All information requested for the entry form must be completed.

Entries will be picked up at the entrant's school by contacting Mrs. Wilkins any time before the deadline date at the above number.

Deadline for all three categories is April 15.

SWEET ADELIN UNIT PLANS ANNUAL SHOW

This metropolitan area is not only the home of the world champion Cardinals, but also of the River Blenders, region champions of Sweet Adelines who will represent Region 5 (Illinois) except for the northern Chicago area, and the eastern half of Missouri) at International competition in Detroit in October.

They will be presenting their second annual show at the Kiel Opera House, 1400 Market St., St. Louis, Saturday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 p.m. "That's Entertainment" will feature music from all types of entertainment—movies, vaudeville, TV, circuses and Broadway. Featured will be several quartets from the chorus, including the Tetrahedrons, 1978 International queens of harmony.

SEMINAR AT SIUE FEATURES PROFESSOR

Nigel W. Daw, professor of physiology and biophysics at Washington University in St. Louis, will speak at a seminar at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, Wednesday, Feb. 23.

Daw will discuss, "How Optical Problems Can Permanently Damage the Nerve Connection in the Visual System."

The seminar begins at 4 p.m. in Room 3114 of the Science Building. A question and answer session will follow the lecture in Room 3330. At 6 p.m., participants may attend a potluck dinner in Room 3330. Ham will be provided.

The lecture is sponsored by the Biology Honor Society and is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served before the lecture in Room 3330. For additional information, interested persons may contact the biology department office at 1-682-3827.

Bracelet can save your life

By GERALDINE L. BOWER, P.H.D.

A man was thrown through the windshield when his car collided with a cement truck. He was a hemophiliac, which means he would bleed to death if he wasn't given a special serum within 20 to 30 minutes.

A policeman noticed his Medic Alert bracelet, which showed that he was a hemophiliac, so a helicopter was called in and the injured man reached the hospital in time. The serum was ready when he arrived.

People who have medical problems that can't be easily recognized could use a Medic Alert bracelet or necklace, says Ordie Hogsett, University of Illinois Extension safety specialist.

A Medic Alert bracelet does not speak for somebody who may be unable to explain his problem for any number of reasons: unconsciousness, shock, delirium, hysteria or loss of speech.

About one in five persons has some type of medical problem according to the Medic Alert Foundation. It reports that in one year more than 2,000 members reported that the emblem—worn either as a bracelet or necklace—helped save their lives.

The Foundation presently has 1,500,000 members and says that U.S. membership is growing at the rate of 2,000 every week.

Marion C. Collins, M.D., established the Foundation in 1956 after his daughter almost died from a reaction to a sensitivity test for tetanus anti-toxin.

The Medic Alert system has three parts.

First, there is the emblem. The wearer's medical problem or problems are engraved on the reverse side of the emblem.

For example, some of the most common problems are heart condition, diabetes, epilepsy, allergy to penicillin, allergy to bee stings, glaucoma or allergy to sulfa drugs.

People also use Medic Alert to show that they take anti-coagulants, or wear contact lenses (contact lenses could cause complications in some emergencies).

Also engraved on the emblem are the wearer's membership number and the telephone number for the

emergency answering service.

The second part of the system is a wallet card which gives additional medical and personal information. The card is issued annually so emergency personnel now they are working with information that is no more than a year old.

The third part of Medic Alert is the emergency answering service, which operates around the clock and can be reached with a collect number from anywhere in the world.

Medic Alert is a charitable, nonprofit organization which maintains its services with one-time membership fees.

For more information, including the cost for lifetime membership, Quad-Cityans may write to Medic Alert Foundation, attention: Turlock, Calif. 95380 or call (209) 668-3333.

Head injury group to meet

Meetings of the Illinois Support Group are held every other month. The next meeting will be Sunday at VFW Post 2859, 221 E. Edwardsville Road, Wood River, from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served and entertainment will be provided by Jan Arnold of South Roxana, a puppet show.

For head injured person and his or her family, or anyone interested in the Head Injury Foundation is being invited to attend one of the main purposes of the Illinois Support Group is to provide social and emotional support for the head injured.

The next open meeting of the St. Louis/Bi-State Chapter will be Saturday, March 26 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville, at 1 p.m. The program will feature environmental devices for the handicapped.

For further information on either of these meetings, interested persons may call Bernice Pinkas at 1-556-2594; LaVerne Donelson at 1-259-1664, or Darlene Berg at 1-462-7782 (after 5 p.m.).

WORKSHOP SET FOR BUSINESS OWNERS

A workshop for small business owners will be offered by the Internal Revenue Service on Thursday, Feb. 24, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the East St. Louis campus of Southern Illinois University, 411 East Broadway.

Because of limited attendance, advance registration is required. Interested persons may call Thomas Hopson at 875-8200, extension 379 or the Taxpayer Education Coordinator at 1-217-492-4288, for reservations.

The workshop will provide information about business taxes, tax benefits and obligations connected with a small business, and employer tax responsibilities. What to expect during an audit, recordkeeping, penalties a business may incur, the consequences of owing back taxes, and the examination and collection appeal rights of the small business owner will also be discussed.

Senior companions never administer medicine and are not permitted to do any heavy cleaning. Their assignments include writing letters, reading, helping to

Concerned Citizens host Madison alderman hopefuls

Madison voters will be able to ask aldermanic candidates questions in the first of two "open to the public" candidate nights Monday.

Candidates for seats in the new restructured Wards One and Two will be heard Monday evening at Polish Hall, 826 Greenwood St., Madison.

At 8 p.m., the candidates invited from Ward One are Paul Ashford, the incumbent, and two independent candidates for the Ward One aldermanic seat, Al Endicott and Frank Marsala.

At 8:30 p.m., three new candidates seeking the new Ward Two seat, vacated by Mike Sikora, will be questioned, Bob Grieve, Jim Riskovsky and Thomas George.

Each candidate will be allowed a maximum of five minutes to explain why he

seeks election or re-election with 15 minutes allowed for questions from the audience.

Should people have more questions than the stringent time requirements allow, refreshments will be served at 9 p.m. for informal discussions, according to W. F. "Mick" Strange, president of the Madison Concerned Citizens.

The public is being encouraged to attend Monday and ask questions firsthand.

The regular meeting of the MCC will be at 7 p.m. Monday and is open to all citizens of Madison.

The MCC will not officially endorse any political candidate since the organization is a "citizen awareness" group and not a political organization, according to Strange.

Ward Three and Four

aldermanic candidates will be invited to an "open forum" on Monday, March 21, at Polish Hall.

Items on the agenda for the 7 p.m. Concerned Citizens meeting will, include: utility tax revenue from the city and possible refund if tax is found illegal; amount of tax money spent on the burglar alarm system and a question of sewer problems and potential problems of city sewers caused by tree leaves, and

throwaway advertising papers in plastic containers; landfill questions relative to the allegedly paying \$30,000 for trash dumping; possibility of a residential trash pickup charge after a public election and a question of adequate uniformed police protection.

Luncheon launches 'Project Help'

Local area organizational, labor and religious leaders met for lunch recently at the Barrel Restaurant to discuss ways of helping the needy and the unemployed of this community. The group consisted of: Larry Miller and George Cook, Tri-Cities Area United Way; Harold Krohn of Protestant Welfare; Brenda Derby of Metro Re-employment; Les LaBarry of Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Union; Dave Downing, Ben Glasgow, Freda Scott, Don Sharp, and Bob Jacobs of United Steelworkers Local

67; Kent Berry of USWA Local 3643; Nona Corzilius of Church Women United; M. J. Quilligan of Catholic Charities; Don Kratz of First Presbyterian Church; Louis Erickson of First United Methodist Church; and Bob Long of First Presbyterian Church in Wood River.

From these meetings, "Project Help" was formed and is expected to be in operation by March 1. All donations to the project will go to helping those in need. Protestant Welfare Association of Granite City will be responsible for the distribu-

tion of food now, with hopes of meeting other needs in the future.

Contributions may be made through the Tri-Cities Area United Way and earmarked for "Project Help." It is expected that other organizations, religious groups and labor unions will become involved in making "Project Help" a success, a spokesman said.

For information on becoming a part of "Project Help," interested persons may contact Harold Krohn at 876-7700 or George Cook at 876-6780.

Seek volunteers to monitor lakes

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency is seeking local volunteers for a sampling program to help determine the quality of lakes in this area. Almost anyone can volunteer and almost any lake is eligible.

"You need some time, a boat to find out about a lake and a boat, or some flotation device with an anchor," a spokesman said.

This is the third year that the IEPA has worked with volunteers in the Volunteer Lake Monitoring Program, explained IEPA spokesman George Dillon. Monitoring

again will be performed twice monthly from May through October. Volunteers will determine lake quality by noting the lowest visible depth of a secchi disc lowered into the water.

Last year more than 300 volunteers assisted in gathering data from 129 lakes. The IEPA hopes to expand both the number of volunteers and the number of lakes monitored.

The Illinois EPA will provide the secchi disc, a training session held in this area and a report form. Volunteers will receive a certificate of participation

and a report summarizing the data collected.

State park and conservation lakes, public supply lakes and lakes previously monitored are especially targeted for inclusion in the program this year.

Persons interested in volunteering to monitor a lake may contact Bob Hagle at the IEPA office, 117 W. Main, Collinsville, Ill. 62234, telephone 334-6220.

March 15 is the deadline to sign up. The program is limited and offered on a first-come basis. Area training sessions begin April 1.

Senior program accepting applications

Belleville Area College's Program for Older Persons offers a Senior Companions Program for low-income persons 60 years of age and older which serves the Quad-City area.

Persons who qualify on the age and income basis are being asked to volunteer 20 hours per week for a stipend of \$2 per hour and are reimbursed for out-of-pocket expenses for travel and meals while volunteering for the program.

After qualifying and receiving appropriate training, the senior companion is placed in residence to give companionship to an older person who needs some support or supervision in order he or she remain in the mainstream of life.

Senior companions never administer medicine and are not permitted to do any heavy cleaning. Their assignments include writing letters, reading, helping to

prepare light meals, encouraging an interest in good hygiene, helping with a prescribed physical therapy program, assisting in home management, developing social contacts and shopping.

It is an important program to the clients who are given the companions. The monetary gain received by the senior companions, does not effect their public aid, social security, medicare or food stamps, etcetera. In addition to the financial assistance, they are given the opportunity to be of service to those who are less fortunate, thus giving the senior companion a new sense of importance and meaningfulness in their lives.

Persons interested in the program may contact Marge Hall at 876-3229. Applications are presently being taken.

SERVE WARRANTS
Kathryn A. Norris, 22, of 2417 St. Clair Ave., was served with two warrants alleging failure to pay fines on charges of theft by deception and speeding. The warrants were served when she came to police headquarters at 2:25 p.m. Monday.

TRANSFER STUDENTS

Belleville Area College students transferring to Eastern Illinois University should contact or better than other students at the university.

BAC students rank as high as the undergraduates, who completed the first two years of their degree at the university. BAC students do slightly better than other community college students transferring to the university, recent statistics show.

BAC is a community institution serving over 50,000 residents in eight Illinois counties with academic, vocational and career advancement courses and community programs.

It serves more than 20,000 students a year at its main campus facilities in Belleville and at extension centers throughout the district, one-third of those students on a full-time basis.

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VISITING THE GOVERNOR. Eagle Scout Joseph Stoltz, of Marine, Ill., representing the Chokio Mound Council, meets Governor James Thompson last week. Stoltz was one of 32 Eagle Scouts celebrating State Citizenship Day with a visit to Springfield. The three-day event included a mock state election in which Stoltz won the office of attorney general.

WORK OF GERMAN ARTIST AT BAC

An art exhibit by Belleville Area College student Renate M. Schoenebeck will open Monday at the BAC main campus. Most of Miss Schoenebeck's work deals with people in everyday life and their surroundings. The majority of the mixed media exhibit will be pencil sketches. The artist is studying drawing, painting and photography at BAC. She also has studied pottery, sculpture and jewelry at BAC. A German native, she received extensive training as a glass engraver at Saelel Kunsthochschule (Academy of Fine Arts) in Frankfurt and worked as a glass engraver at Rosenhals, a prestigious German glass company. She now works as a photographer at Ringhofer Photography in Belleville. The exhibit will be on display through Monday, March 14, in the first floor gallery at the main campus, 3500 Carlyle Road, Belleville.

Thieves escape from drug store

Two women and a man jumped over the entrance railing at the east end of Walgreen Drugs in Crossroad Plaza Shopping Center, carrying a box and a variety of merchandise, it was reported this week. The assistant manager, alerted to the theft by another employee, saw the trio put two electric coffee makers into a blue vehicle with a Missouri license. He then attempted to stop the car as it headed toward Nameoki Road, but was unsuccessful. Initially determined to be missing from the store were the coffee makers, two clean air machines and two steam irons. An inventory of merchandise was being compiled. The man had reddish-brown hair and facial hair. One of the two women was short with blonde curly hair, employees said.

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Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:
Madison School Board 7:30 p.m. today, Feb. 17, at 1707 Fourth St.
Venice School Board 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 21, at 6th-Broadway
Chouteau Town Board 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 21, at 897a N. Thorngate Drive, Mitchell

Willing Workers contact employers

The Willing Worker's of America met at the Jayco Hall to hear the executive vice-president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, Alan Richardson, talk about the re-opening of the A.O. Smith plant and other employment possibilities in the area. Richardson suggested that the organization draft a letter to A.O. Smith explaining the Willing Worker's goals and purpose and to let them know about the viable work force available.

Other business included the offer by Co-Ordinated Youth Services to allow members to charge metropolitan employers regarding possible job openings. At a later meeting it was decided that each Monday beginning Feb. 14, two different members would call employers and explain who the Willing Workers are and the types of skills the members have.

The president, Steve Ortiz, then asked for a report on how the YMCA program was working. All comments were favorable and everyone enjoyed the opportunity to get out and get exercise. The next meeting of the Willing Worker's will be Feb. 25 at 10 a.m. at the Jaycee Hall, 1855 Poplar St., where Steve Ortiz will present information he and Bob Macke received while attending a workshop in Springfield, Feb. 1, on the new Job Training Partnership Act. Also the guest speaker for the February meeting, Nancy McIlvoy, Project Administrator for the Education/CETA Linkage Project, will talk on JTPA and how it affects the displaced worker.

All laid-off workers are invited to attend, for more information, call Brenda Derby at 876-2383 (618, the president) advised.

DELAY IN BENEFIT APPROVED BY DAV
The nation's largest group of disabled veterans said Tuesday it will agree to a six-month delay in cost-of-living increases in Veterans Administration (VA) benefits, proposed by President Reagan in his 1983-84 federal budget request. However, the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) said that men and women on active duty in America's armed forces should receive a full cost-of-living increase in their paychecks on time.

This is the first time in many years that the DAV has gone along with any proposal that would reduce any benefits provided by the VA for veterans with service-connected disabilities and their families. With three quarters of a million members, the DAV is the nation's third largest veterans organization and the largest organization made up of veterans disabled in military service. The group said it will accept delayed increases in benefits if they are applied equally across the board to beneficiaries of all federal entitlement programs.

BID NOTICE
The City of Granite City will have available proposals in the City Clerk's Office at 11:30 a.m., February 21, 1983 for the demolition of each or all of the following condemned properties: 810-03 Niedringhaus Avenue, 1740 Maple Street, 2625 East 25th Street. Specifications will be available at the City Clerk's Office. The Contracts for this project will be funded through Community Development fund. Sealed bids will be received and opened at 1:30 p.m. on the 7th day of March, 1983, in the Office of the City Clerk, 3000 Edison Avenue, Granite City, IL.

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Lottery Results

Results of the Illinois State Lottery Daily Game, this week were:
Monday, Feb. 14: 038
Tuesday, Feb. 15: 009
Pick 4 Game: 6196
Wednesday, Feb. 16: 349

Therapist to address group

Phyllis Whitehead, supervisor-therapist for Community Counseling Services, 2023 State St., a division of Mental Health Services of Southern Madison County, will be the featured speaker at the monthly meeting of the Tri-City Association for the Retarded, scheduled at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 28. The meeting will take place at St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road.

Mrs. Whitehead will discuss the topic, "Stress in Our Lives." She obtained her master's degree in social work from George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University, St. Louis, and has been with the agency since 1970.

Mental Health Services is a private not-for-profit organization that serves all residents in the southern half of the state. A speakers' bureau is provided by the agency, in addition to its many other services, with interested groups invited to call Janice Mayberry, at 877-4420, to make arrangements in advance.

GARAGE BURGLARY
A blue tool box containing assorted tools, valued at \$290, was stolen in a garage burglary at the home of Terry Willis, 2400 Nameoki Road, he reported at 5:10 p.m. Tuesday.

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MORE SECURITIES OFFERED IN STATE
Sec. of State Jim Edgar reports that his office registered \$47.7 billion worth of securities offerings during 1982. The securities department registered 2,153 offerings, nearly nine percent more than in 1981.

Edgar said oil and gas investments continued to be attractive during 1982. Their \$10.5 billion value is up 80 percent from the previous year. Most stocks bonds and other securities offered for sale in Illinois must be registered with the securities department, which also registers securities dealers, advisers and salespersons.

University may boost tuition 10%

Tuition increases of approximately 10 percent for fiscal year 1984, beginning July 1, 1983, are being considered for students attending Southern Illinois University.

The SIU Board of Trustees gave notice Thursday that the increases have been proposed in accord with a Jan. 4 recommendation of the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

The IBHE said the increase is needed to provide about \$13.7 million statewide of a total proposed FY-84 increase of \$8.7 million for public universities.

A 10 percent increase in tuition for the SIU system amounts to \$2.7 million. The proposed level of increase reflects only the impact of inflation. It does not recognize the budgetary problems brought about by other forms of resource scarcity caused by diminished state revenues and ailing economy.

Since fiscal year 1972, tuition and required fees at SIU at Carbondale and SIU at Edwardsville have increased by 111 and 91 percent, respectively. These increases are smaller than the 142 percent increase in the Consumer Price Index and 114 percent rise in the Implicit Price Deflator for the Gross National Product.

Current tuition rates for the two universities and the recommended increases are:

Undergraduate and graduate \$210, recommended increase \$48; law \$960, recommended increase \$96; medicine, \$3,381, recommended increase \$339.

SIUE—undergraduate \$798, recommended increase \$84; graduate \$888, recommended increase \$87; dental \$1,375, recommended increase \$159.

For the cost recovery program at SIUC, a full-time student currently pays \$774; the recommended increase is \$78. Extension tuition at SIUE is \$14 per quarter hour of credit, and the recommended increase is \$14.

At both campuses, non-resident students are charged three times the resident rate.

Four proposals for student fee and charge increases at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were approved Thursday by the SIU board, meeting at SIUE. The increases had been considered by the trustees since their December meeting on the local campus when notices of the proposals were released.

The new fees and charges include an increase of 25 percent for all students in the publications subfee of the Student Welfare and Activity Fee, to establish a sinking fund for equipment replacement at the student newspaper.

Also a \$1 across-the-board increase in the University Center Fee increases in the textbook Rental Fee by 50 cents, \$1 and \$2 in the respective hours categories of enrollment; and a boost of \$20 per single student per month in Tower Lake housing, and a corresponding percentage increase in family housing rates, effective Sept. 1, 1983.

The fee increases are effective in the summer quarter of 1983. The changes represent a total rise of \$3.35 per quarter for a full-time student.

University officers said this would be a 3.4 percent increase over this year in mandatory student fees.

They said no increases for fiscal 1984 will be sought in other fees, including Student Activities Organizations, Student Government, Recreation, Legal Services, Student Medical Benefit, Programming subfees of the Student Welfare and Activity Fee, and the Athletic Fee.

University officers also pointed out that an increase of \$6.50 originally was recommended for the University Center Fee. With the concurrence of the Student Senate, a number of measures recommended by the University Center Board and the director of the University Center were approved, reducing the need for a fee increase to \$1.

The measures included a reduction in working capital, steps to reduce center operating expenses and improvements in the Food Service operation.

Increases in the cost of books were cited as the principal reason for the raise in the Textbook Rental fee.

Operating cost increases and a reduction in the state, to be listed as the major reasons for increases in housing rental rates. Presently, single students living in two-bedroom, four-student units in the Tower Lake Apartments pay \$88 each per month.

Manufacturers seek innovative action

Despite a still sluggish economy, Illinois manufacturers and business people are doing much to help solve problems in their communities.

An Illinois Manufacturers' Association survey of its members in the state actively supports philanthropic, educational and cultural organizations and makes contributions, with volunteered time and with innovative programs designed to meet special social needs.

The survey revealed that respondents' total donations averaged 2.7 percent of pretax net income. That compares with about one percent for corporations nationwide.

Among IMA survey respondents, the high was more than 12 percent, and the median, one percent. Slightly more than half said they gave more in 1982 than they did in 1981. National corporate contributions exceeded \$2.5 billion in 1980.

Illinois manufacturers are generous with their personal income as well. About 80 percent gave more in 1982 to philanthropic, educational and cultural organizations than the previous year.

Their average increase was more than 20 percent. Some doubled their contributions, and the median was 10 percent.

Business leaders agree that businesses cannot ignore social issues. Reginald Jones, former chairman of General Electric, is committed to this philosophy.

"Public policy and social issues are no longer adjuncts to business planning and management," Jones says. "They are in the mainstream of it."

"The concern must be pervasive, permeating today from boardroom to factory floor. Management must be measured for performance in economic and noneconomic areas alike. And top management must lead."

Those who responded to the survey seem to follow these tenets. Some do so by taking part in well-established programs, such as the United Way, Junior Achievement, Salvation Army, Rotary, Boys Clubs, etc.

Others apply the same innovation and aggressive entrepreneurial spirit to community problem-solving that they apply to their businesses.

That is the approach desirable to the President's Task Force on Private Sector Initiatives. The philosophy behind the concept is that many social

problems are better solved by local business' ingenuity than by a cumbersome federal government, often capriciously removed from a problem to understand it, let alone solve it.

A company need not be big to be effective. The survey found that small companies and their officers exhibit creativity, generosity and efficacy.

One is active in a special education program for Cook County Jail inmates. Another helps train the handicapped; another, minority students.

Many donate materials and employees' company time to school classes; some give plant tours to school children.

The IMA member survey turned up other innovative programs. One firm provides buses to agencies that transport the elderly.

A company executive prepared and delivered business-oriented editorials for a Chicago radio station. Several have high-level involvement in programs and associations for the mentally retarded.

One has a program for adult cultural education, and another is active in a rehabilitation program for delinquent teenagers. Many match employees' contributions.

In pursuing solutions to community problems, a company is not merely being too far removed from the often enlightened self-interest by strengthening the local community and economy, on which the company depends for employees, customers, and suppliers, officials said.

Says Aetna Chairman John H. Filer: "Corporate social responsibility is no longer simply an expression of 'doing good' with no strings attached. It is the quality of one's decisions."

ALLEGES THAT MAN DROPS TWO STEAKS
Employees at Cohen's Market, 2301 Illinois Ave., halted an alleged shoplifter, hiding him until police arrived, after the man reportedly was seen placing two steaks in his jeans. The incident occurred at 2:25 p.m. Tuesday.

When an employee shouted, Charles F. Davis, 30, of 2041 State St., allegedly pulled the steaks from his trousers and then reportedly bolted for the door when told police were being contacted.

Davis, who was charged with retail theft, pleaded guilty in a court appearance at 4:40 p.m. Tuesday. He was fined \$190 and was released.

"In addition to helping others, the pursuit of social goals can significantly strengthen a corporation's capacity to achieve its primary corporate purpose of being profitable."

The Business Roundtable said that a corporation's business activities must make social sense just as its business activities must make business sense.

The IMA quotes President John F. Kennedy:

"Only by doing the work ourselves... can we hope in the long run to maintain the authority of the people over the state, to insure that the people remain the master and the state the servant."

"Every time we try to lift a problem from our own shoulders and shift that problem to the hands of the government, we are sacrificing the liberties of the people."

Among Granite City Council actions and discussions Tuesday were the following:

City Engineer Monroe Brewer will study establishing specific truck routes through the city. The motion to get the study started was made by Fifth Ward Alderman Jack Varadani, who chaired an earlier aldermanic session on truck patterns here.

Varadani explained that the city attorney finds no conflict in barring trucks from streets that have been renovated by state motor fuel taxes. The alderman cited damage to streets and homes caused by various routes now traveled by heavy over-the-road trucks. The ordinance is expected to make a provision for local deliveries.

David Nolan, director of parks and recreation, has filed a suit against the city for \$3,820 in back sick pay accumulated while he was employed as the former assistant to Mayor Paul Schuler. Nolan resigned from that position in February, 1982. The council was formed by the city attorney, Tuesday. Nolan referred the matter to the city attorney. In his complaint, Nolan claims he is entitled to 50 percent pay for 45 accumulated days of sick leave, according to the city's sick leave ordinance.

In other legal matters, the city also received notice of Nameoki Township's small claims court complaint asking \$610 for alleged overbilling by the Granite City ambulance service. The claim follows the city's own pending small claims court attempt to collect \$1,431 from Nameoki in past ambulance retainer fees and bills.

Venice Township Supervisor Christ N. Pashoff notified the city that, effective March 1, unincorporated sections of his township will no longer use the Granite City ambulance service, but rely on Madison instead. Venice Township had been the only outside municipality to continue to use the city-operated service.

Marvin Moehle, operator of a video game parlor at 825 Niedringhaus Ave., presented a 20-signature petition from Lincoln Place residents, stating they had no objection to his video business location. Moehle estimated the new petition was signed by about 90 percent of the residents who had signed an earlier petition objecting to a previous video business proposed near the Lincoln Place Community Center. Jack Bogosian, active in youth activities at the community center, had said Moehle's business was a violation of the earlier petition.

Another delay was being announced in the attempt by aldermen to get an independent view of operations at Wastewater Treatment Plant. Third Ward Alderman Paul Fisk, pollution committee chairman, said the meeting that had been set for later this month to hear a report by CRS Clark Dietz Engineers Division, now is expected to be held March 7 or 8. Delays in selecting an engineering firm and then arriving at acceptable contract terms had previously pushed back the start of the study, approved by council action last summer.

Five structures were approved for condemnation, including an apparent "nuisance" foundation at the former Thomas Brimberry residence at 6 Mark Court. The city engineer said the foundation prevented weeds from being trimmed at that location. Other structures condemned were 1718 Chestnut Ave., 2632 State St., 849 Niedringhaus Ave., and 1712-14 Cleveland Blvd.

Police union members of Local 1347, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, have requested that the council lift its hold on time-and-a-half checks due as payment for court appearance time. According to a letter sent by the union, their newly-signed contract, with the city provides for the increased payments, that should be retroactive to the May 1 expiration date of their former contract.

Fourth Ward Alderman Sharon Perjak, negotiating committee chairman, disputed the union's request that the matter be resolved immediately to avoid legal action.

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2518 EDISON: Has three bedrooms, living room, dining room, family room, kitchen and bath, finished room on lower level (15'x27') and 1/2 bath. Central air, dishwasher, 2-car carport and large front porch. Must see to appreciate.

3750-80 PONTON: Brick and block commercial building, 45'x80' on corner lot. Two display areas, eight private offices, washroom with shower, two bathrooms, large work area and stock room with garage door entrance.

PUT THIS FELLOW OUT OF BUSINESS: All equipment, furnaces, fixtures and real estate. Building contains 3,200 sq. ft. Whole package price to sell.

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ROYCE REALTY
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Open Every Night 10 P.M.

LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN? This 2-bedroom home priced under \$25,000 would be it. Has lake frontage, remodeled on inside, large bathroom and lots of storage space. Don't let this bargain get away.

LOAN ASSUMPTION - Well-kept 6-room home in a quiet neighborhood. Close to shopping and schools, fenced yard and central air. Payments under \$250 a month.

NEW LISTING: Looking for that starter home? Look no further than this lovely 2-bedroom home on Peirce. Beautifully decorated throughout. Full basement and 1 1/2-car detached garage. Fenced back yard.

DUPLEX: Brick, two bedrooms down, three bedrooms up, 2-car detached garage. Fantastic budget stretcher in mint condition.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY: Nice 2-bedroom remodeled home with basement, well-kept trailer, and 45x45 foot garage built with electric and plumbing. Three potential incomes. Approximately one acre. Priced in \$30's

RE/MAX
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MON.-Fri. 9 AM to 7:30 PM
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Call today: FREE INVESTMENT SEMINAR Featuring Tom Reese, local author and investor. March 3, 1983, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

EDGE OF TOWN: 2-bedroom retirement home, extra insulation, woodburning stove, BIG GARAGE, fruit trees, really nice and only \$35,800. Call Gayle Flood.

TERRIFIC 3-BEDROOM FRAME HOME: Located in nice family neighborhood, close to nursery school. Excellent for young family. To see, call Mary Ohlendorf. Owners are very negotiable.

MINI FARMS: Several to choose from. Low taxes. Ask for Carl.

NEW LISTING: 3-bedroom brick has full basement with family room. Near shopping centers, grocery stores, buses and schools. Very good area and it's priced right to sell. Call Juanita Hunter.

3-BEDROOM BRICK: Living room, large eat-in kitchen, 2-car attached garage on over 1/2-acre of ground. Gas heat and central air. Extra sharp. Call Ron Corey.

YOUR OWN PRIVATE STREET: No thru traffic is only one of the features in this new brick ranch. Two full baths, one in the master's bedroom. All built-in kitchen with beautiful wood cabinets, full basement and more. Call George Crews.

NEW LISTING: Lovely new brick home in Arlington Heights has three bedrooms, built-in oven, microwave and dishwasher. Carpeted throughout. Custom built home. Call Shang Greenhouse or Gayle Flood.

NEW LISTING: 4-bedroom home for large family. Priced at \$32,900. Home has 1 1/2 baths, 2-car garage. Call Shirley Heath.

MOBILE HOME, 14x70: Better than new with large rooms, cathedral ceilings plus woodburning fireplace. Nice wooden decks and beautifully landscaped lot for \$17,900. Call John Martinez.

MAKE OFFER ON THIS 4-BEDROOM HOME: Country living yet close to town, 1 1/2-story brick, two baths, large eat-in kitchen, family room in basement, 2-car garage and sitting on 3/4-acre. Call Mary Ritchie.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR THAT FIRST HOME TOGETHER: Look into this cute 2-bedroom frame. The price is right for you newbies. Call Jean Schwarzkopf for all the details.

NEWLY REMODELED 2-BEDROOM HOME with new furnace and air. Aluminum sided with new roof and swimming pool in back. Storage room on carport. Extra nice. Must see inside to appreciate. Call Ted Valencia.

THE HARD PART IS DONE - JUST MOVE IN, and the owner did it all. Three bedrooms, living room, kitchen and dining room. Garage has a workshop. Call Barb Wyatt.

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877-2345
Multiple Listing Service

JUST LISTED: Large 9-room home in a nice close-in location. Features 2,200 sq. ft. of living area, with two baths, basement, new gas furnace and central air.

SPLIT LEVEL HOME with lots of space, 2-car garage, 1 1/2 baths, huge family room with woodburning fireplace.

LOTS OF ROOM: 4-bedroom home on nearly a 1-acre tract, in a quiet area. Family room, fireplace, all on one level. Priced in the \$50's.

MODESTLY PRICED 3-BEDROOM BRICK HOME plus a 4-room bungalow on rear for rental income. Owner will help with down payment.

4-BEDROOM BRICK HOME with two baths, large eat-in kitchen. Has a separate efficiency apartment for Grandma. Priced right.

PROFESSIONAL BUILDER HAS RESTORED THIS 3-BEDROOM HOME. New furnace, wiring, plumbing, carpeting and kitchen. Owner will help with financing.

COUNTRY LIVING ON FIVE ACRES, in a new 3-bedroom home with 1,440 sq. ft. of comfort. Two baths, attached garage. At Arlington Heights.

BIG 4-BEDROOM HOME with new oak cabinets, plus a big family room with wet bar. Double garage, new roof, huge fenced rear yard.

FRESH AS A DART: 3-bedroom brick home has parquet floor in family room on first floor. Owner will finance.

TWO LOTS: 55x120-ft. (110-ft. frontage) on Nameoki Road.
Cathy Busch 452-7352 Norm Reinhardt 876-9484
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2200 SHIRLEEN
1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1983

Just a lovely 3-bedroom brick ranch in a very attractive neighborhood. Formal dining room, large family room with a wood burning fireplace, thermopane windows, lots of beautiful wood cabinets in the spacious kitchen. Full basement and a 2-car attached garage with door openers. Call for more information.

Star Inc.
REALTY WORLD
876-0024

DESIRABLE AREA - DESIRABLE PRICE - IRRISISTABLE HOME - This is a beautiful Arlington area 3-bedroom brick ranch on an acre of well landscaped land. Formal dining room plus breakfast room, two baths, full basement, large 2-car garage with electric opener. Large patio with built-in grill and fantastically priced under \$70,000.

LOOKING FOR A LOT FOR A MOBILE HOME? Seller has this one was formerly approved and utilities already to property.

HOW'S THIS FOR VALUE? 3-bedroom ranch with large living room, kitchen, wood burning fireplace, 2-car garage, large lot and full basement. Excellent location in Glen Wood Estates right across the street from park and tennis courts.

LIKE WALKING OR JOGGING? This 2-bedroom home is only 1/2 block from Wilson Park. It sits on a large lot has a spacious living/dining room combination and priced in the low \$30's.

EXQUISITE HOME FOR FAMILY ENTERTAINING with nine rooms. Three bedrooms, three baths, formal dining and living room, great family room, solar room, den, 2-car garage. Circle drive into court yard entrance. Collinsville-Maryville area.

EXCELLENT LOAN ASSUMPTION: 6-room aluminum sided 1 1/2-story home with central air and completely remodeled kitchen. \$5,800 assumes 9 1/2% loan, total monthly payment of only \$217.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY: Price reduced on this 4-family building located on Edison. Possible owner financing available. Call Bob Barton Realty at 931-6200. 11 27H

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3706 FAIROAKS DR.: 5-room 3-bedroom brick ranch on 65'x152' with full basement divided into service area and family room, w/w carpeting in living room, eat-in size kitchen. Nothing to do but move in as home is in mint condition. 1 2 2H

2633 RALPH STREET: 5-room frame with full basement, three bedrooms, central air, full living room, eat-in size kitchen, walk to Junior and Senior schools. Call for appointment to see. 1 2 2H

2829 GRAND: 5-room brick cottage with full basement, new furnace and air conditioning, w/w carpeting in living room and dining room. Prime location. 1 2 2H

2311 E. 23RD ST.: 5-room frame cottage with full basement. Two bedrooms, living room, dining room and kitchen. Bonus: 2-room income property on rear. Terms \$3,500 down and assume low interest, \$270 monthly payment. 1 11 15H

2720 EDWARDS ST.: 1 1/2-story carefree aluminum sided home with four rooms plus 1/2 bath down; three bedrooms up plus full bath, built-in kitchen, central air, wall to wall carpeting. Nothing to do here but move in. Possible owner financing. 1 11 15H

RALPH MORRIS, Broker
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GEORGE COOK
877-7310

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1907 EDISON AVE.

FOR SALE: 4-family brick flat, may consider financing. Excellent investment. Call 876-0016. 9-5. 11 4H

\$700 DOWN PAYMENT, contact for deed. Four rooms, bath and kitchen. Located in Venice. Call 877-1900, Abrams Realty 1. 11 2H

FIVE UNIT APT. unit near downtown, needs work. \$2,500 cash down and \$500 per month at 12 percent, grosses \$880 per month. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 1 10 7H

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The "KEY" unlocks the door to a world of bargains!

BOB BARTON REALTY
4741 MARYVILLE ROAD
931-6200
OPEN HOUSE
2 Petunia
Sunday, February 20
2-4 P.M.

Possible V.A. with no down payment OR owner assistance with down payment on this 3-bedroom aluminum sided home with full basement, central air and fenced yard. Priced in mid \$30's. Take a Sunday drive and stop in!

NEW LISTING - Priced at only \$35,000. Two bedroom brick with dining room, family room, and 1-car attached garage.

NICELY DECORATED - 2-bedroom frame with family room. Price reduced to \$28,500.

EDGE OF TOWN - 3 bedroom brick with full basement, 1-car attached garage, and full basement. Call us today for more details!

BY OWNER: 7-room masonry home, central heat and air, large tree shaded lot. Priced at \$49,900. Located at 2029 Lindell, Call 877-7669 for appt. 1 12 17

1645 3RD ST.: 2-bedroom, VA or FHA possible, quick possession. Lueders Realtor, call 877-0388. 1 13 17

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION on this 2-bedroom. Full basement, central air to keep cool and a fireplace to keep warm, fully carpeted. Small down payment and owner financing. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 1 13 17

1,000 SQ. FT. commercial space plus 2-bedroom apt. and 1,800 sq. ft. basement. Corner location in East Granite. \$5,000 down and \$415 per month. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 1 13 17

2-BEDROOM FRAME house, large fenced yard, great starter home, \$26,000 assumable loan. Call 931-4389. 2149 Robert. 1 12 17

128 TROCKLER, Mitchell. Nice starter home, only four years old, 3-bedroom brick, ranch style with carport. Priced low \$40's. By owner. Low interest, assumable loan. Call 931-6424, evenings and weekends. If no answer call 797-0464. 1 12 17

IMMACULATE 4-room cottage with full basement, gas heat with air, aluminum sided. This lovely home is ideal for a couple! It has small yard beautifully landscaped, walk-in closet, wall-to-wall carpet, large kitchen well equipped, steam sash, 1 car garage. Convenient to transportation and downtown. Priced to sell. Call 1-2887323 or 877-6676.

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NEW LISTING - 3-bedroom brick ranch, gas heat, full basement, 2-car attached garage, corner lot. Excellent buy. MID \$50's. #245.

PARK-LIKE SETTING - 7-room ranch with walkout basement, gas heat, central air, 2-car garage. Lots of trees surround this lovely home on one acre. Small pond. Near Hwy. 159 and 55. \$54,900. #207.

COUNTRY LIVING - At its best! 7-room, 4-year-old brick ranch, basement, 2-car garage on two beautiful acres near interstate. Additional acreage available. #108.

HOUSE WITH FIVE ACRES - Additional acreage up to 74 acres home will sell any price. Acreage only may be purchased. House has seven rooms, three bedrooms, electric heat and wood burning fireplace, remodeled kitchen, two rooms unfinished. Call for further details. #238.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY: LOTS OF POTENTIAL. 2-family home in excellent condition, plus mobile home on five acres with choice building site for multi-family. Call for details. #255.

Salesman on duty:
BEV WYDRA
288-9398

Furniture and Appliances
USED DINING ROOM
 Mediterranean, 9-pc., oak, \$750. By appl., call 8-430, 452-7400. 15 2 21
WASHERS: Frigidaire, 4-speed, 6-cycle, \$100. Norge, heavy duty, 20-lb., \$175. Speed Queen, heavy duty, 18-lb., \$175. Gibson, heavy duty, 18-lb., \$150. Dryers: Hamilton, gas, 3-cycle, \$65. Kenmore, electric, 3-cycle, \$75. Call 451-1232. 15 2 21

Autos for Sale
 '79 CHEVY MALIBU wagon, low miles, new tires, \$3,895. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21
\$20 SALE on rebuilt car and truck starters and alternators with 30-day guarantee. Call 797-6376. 15 11 11

'76 TOYOTA COROLLA, \$1,100. Call 877-8252. 15 2 17
 '80 CHEVROLET MONZA, air, auto, 21,000 miles, \$4,295. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21

'80 CORVETTE, \$13,200. Call after 4 p.m., 452-3263. 15 2 21
 '72 DODGE CORONET wagon, excellent condition, runs perfect, \$600 or trade for smaller car. 1439 Madison Ave. 15 2 21

'78 BUICK REGAL, air, auto, AM-FM, cruise, wire wheels, \$4,295. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21

'79 CAMARO 2-DR., AM-FM, 40 channel CB with power antenna, tilt wheel, new tires with aluminum turbine wheels, 60,000 miles, \$4,295. 876-6120 or 931-3837. 15 2 28

'81 OLDS CUTLASS Supreme 2-door, all equipment, just 5,000 miles, \$7,500. Granite Chrysler. Call 876-8733. 15 2 17

'72 FORD, 6-cyl., stick, shell, \$750 firm. Call 931-4433 after 5 p.m. 15 2 21

'73 CADILLAC, fully equipped, runs good, best offer. Call 451-1535. 15 2 17

'81 CITATION, air, auto, 4-door, very nice, \$5,295. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21

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'79 FORD FAIRMONT 2-door, 6-cyl., auto, air, low mileage, can be seen at Gene's Auto Sales or call 797-6353. 15 2 17

TWO '59 EISELS, one 4-door hardtop, one 2-door hardtop. Call 876-2770. Large number with answering service. Must see. 15 2 21

'76 BUICK REGAL, T-top, 350 engine, 63,000 miles, 2-door, exceptionally nice, \$2,400. Call 876-5308 after 5 p.m. 15 2 21

'73 MONTE CARLO, \$750. Call 876-8836. 15 2 17

CARS SELL for \$119.95 (average). Also jeeps, pickups. Available at local government auctions. For directory call 805-87-0900. Ext. 2128. Call refundable. 15 2 17

'78 CAMARO L, low miles, like new, \$4,695. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21

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'77 TRANS AM, loaded, good condition. Call 931-1000. 15 2 21

'74 FORD LTD hardtop, \$750; '79 FORD LTD 4-door, \$3,450; '75 El Camino S10, sharp, \$2,300. Call 931-2214. 15 2 17

'81 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL Town car. Call 931-1560. 15 2 17

'81 LINCOLN MARK IV, sun roof, leather interior, all extras, very nice. Call 931-6570 after 5 p.m. 15 2 17

'80 TRANS AM, T-top, all options, excellent condition. Call 931-4770 or 797-1169. 15 2 21

'88 CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE, 427 auto, new top and interior, \$4,600. Call 451-4814 or 876-4009. 15 2 17

'74 YEA HATCHBACK, runs good, looks good, get good gas mileage, \$400. Call 931-1347. 15 2 17

'66 VOLKSWAGEN, sun roof, \$800 or best offer. '74 LTD Brougham 2-door, \$900. Call 876-1198. 15 2 21

'78 COUGAR XR7, low miles, loaded, one owner, \$3,995. Stearns Auto. Call 931-2233. 15 2 21
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'74 AMC CONCORD, auto, air, power steering, power brakes, 34,000 miles, \$2,895. Call after 5, 451-9498. 15 2 21

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12-F' BOAT semi-trailer, 20' h.p. motor, and trailer. After 3:30 call 876-0578. 17 2 17

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THE FAMILY OF REFERENCE WEAVER wishes to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude for the acts of kindness, messages, sympathy, floral offerings and food received from friends during our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather. Special thanks to Mercer Mortuary, Rev. W. T. Flowers, pallbearers, Margie Harshberger, Dennis Asbeck, Dr. Nagel, Dr. Beia Denes, and staff in ICU. Catherine Weaver and Family 31 217

Memorials
WITH LOVE we remember AGATHA SPARKS, 25th February, 1908 and CHARLES SPARKS, 14th February, 1978. Our only comfort is knowing you are together — our dear mother, father, and brother. Lovingly remembered by Mom, Dad, Mike, Carolyn, Mary, Joanne and all who loved him. 31 217

IN MEMORY of our dad and brother, RICHARD PATTERSON, who was killed Feb. 18, 1982. Our dad fought the fight and won, and he bravely met his fate, we'll all be together when day is done, just inside God's heavenly gate. — We love you dad, your boys, Johnnie and Ricky, sister, Anita, brothers, Bill, Don, and Dave. 31 217

IN MEMORY of JOHNNIE HOLMAN who died Feb. 17, 1982. Love will keep you near and clear always. Lovingly remembered by Mom, Dad, Mike, Carolyn, Mary, Joanne and all who loved him. 31 217

IN LOVING MEMORY of EDWIN L. (BUD) JONES, Feb. 17, 1982. Nothing can ever take away the love he holds dear, fond memories linger every day, remembrance keeps him dear. — Sad loss to the family, Children and Grandchildren. 31 217

Legals
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DELMAR FINANCIAL COMPANY, a corporation, Plaintiff,
vs.
CORBETT WALLACE, et al., Defendant(s).
No. 83-CH-374
Under and by virtue of the decree of said Court, made and entered in the above action on the 7th day of February, 1983 an Associate Judge, as an Officer of the Court, will on the 14th day of March, 1983, at the hour of 11:00 A.M., in Courtroom No. 4, of the Court House of Madison County, in Edwardsville, Illinois, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:
Lot 42 in CEDAR PARK, a Subdivision in the N.W. 1/4 of Sec. 13, T. 4 N. R. 9 W. of the 3RD P.M., as the same appears from Plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois, in Plat Book 41, Page 18.
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Dated at Edwardsville, Illinois, this 7th day of February, 1983.
— Nicholas G. Byron
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Rowe again heads SIU Board of Trustees

Harris Rowe of Jacksonville has been returned to the chairmanship of the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees, a position he held for three years, from 1977 through 1979.

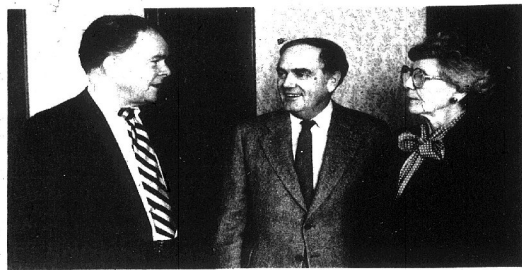
Rowe, an executive with Central National Life Insurance Co., was elected at the annual election of Board officers last week on the Edwardsville campus. He assumes the position held by the past three years by William R. Norwood of Rolling Meadows.

Rowe has served as a member of the SIU Board since 1971. Elected secretary of the group in 1973, he held that position two years. In 1975, he was elected vice-chairman of the Board and was re-elected in 1976. He was elected chairman in 1977.

Other officers of the board re-elected Thursday are A. D. Van Meter Jr. of Springfield, vice chairman, and Carol Kimmel of Moline, secretary.

Van Meter has been a member of the Board of Trustees since 1975 and was elected vice-chairman in 1980. He is president of the Illinois National Bank of Springfield and has been a member of the Springfield law firm of Van Meter, Oxbay and Funk since 1949.

Mrs. Kimmel was re-elected to the position she has held since March, 1979.



SIU BOARD OF TRUSTEES officers elected include, Harris Rowe of Jacksonville, left, chairman, A. D. Van Meter Jr. of Springfield, vice chairman, and Carol Kimmel of Moline, secretary. The election was on the Edwardsville campus. The board serves the entire Southern Illinois University system.

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Members of the SIU Board Executive Committee and board representatives to state systems and boards also were re-elected today, including: Executive Committee—George Wilkins and Mrs. Kimmel (the Board chairman is an ex-officio member); Board of Trustees, State Universities Retirement System—Norwood, and Merit Board, University Civil Service System—Ivan A. Elliott Jr.

Feeding will attract birds into the yard

During the winter months, the back yard that was cultivated over many enjoyable hours last year can be a source of beauty and pleasure to enjoy from windows or patio doors. And nothing will add more to that pleasure than frequent, cheery visits from the many birds that make Illinois their year-round or winter home. These suggestions from the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association (ISNA) will help people plan and maintain an appealing environment for many species of our feathered friends.

There are three essential needs to fill for birds in a yard. The most important, of course, is food. But, the most interesting selection of food isn't going to attract and keep birds coming back unless water and shelter also are supplied. By providing these three things in close proximity, an ideal habitat will be created for birds, which will assure their protection and survival.

Which Illinois birds linger over the winter months? According to bird-watching enthusiasts, the winter bird population in Illinois is a varied and exciting one. The state favorite, the cardinal, in plenty of company: blue jays, downy and other varieties of wood peckers, song sparrows, chickadees and yellow shaker flickers, to name a few. Members of the Illinois Audubon Society will be pleased to provide additional information if there

is a local chapter. Local libraries also can provide information. ISNA members can also assist with ideas in the past three years by William R. Norwood of Rolling Meadows.

According to ISNA President, Rowe, "vegetation is the best food source for birds in your yard. Living trees will provide the greatest amount of the highest nutritional value for them." Among top contenders for winter feeding are the Washington hawthorn with its orange fruit, many varieties of crabapple, including selections that hold fruit for the entire winter, red cedar one of the many berry-like cones and the Virginia creeper with berries that turn deep blue and black during the winter months. The winter-hardy hawthorns, fruit-bearing hollies and sumacs will all provide a variety of food for many different birds. Local ISNA members will be able to recommend the best trees and shrubs for yards and property.

But what about now when planting is not possible and the need is immediate? For small yards or bringing birds closer to windows, supplemental feeders are an excellent idea. A word of caution from the Audubon Society, however: By attracting larger numbers of birds with supplemental feeders than would ordinarily populate a given space, a higher level of population that's going to need the best trees and shrubs will be created. This means keeping feeders full throughout the winter. According to Sally F. Stone, Illinois Department of Conservation, Forest Resources and Natural Heritage, "boom in population for species such as sparrows, starlings, blue jays and cardinals" can be directly linked to supplemental feeding.

Often, well-meaning people cause birds to rely on the back yard feeding and then depart on a winter vacation leaving their guests without food at a most crucial period.

There are many types of feeding units, such as gravity, open shelf, ground and suet feeders. According to Wildlife Federation, a variety of feed will provide the best nutritional balance for your winged friends. Suet, wildflower seed, millet mixtures, cracked corn and shelled peanuts are all favorites of Illinois birds.

Additional treats include pumpkin or squash seeds, worms, vegetables, chopped hard-boiled eggs, and cheese.

Water, too, is important for birds during the winter as well as the summer months. Even in freezing weather, birds need fresh water, not only for thirst but to keep feathers clean and in prime condition for body insulation. Birdbaths can be equipped with inexpensive electrical immersion heaters, or small ponds or pools with livestock trough warmers.

Careful planning, selection and placement of vegetation and appropriate supplemental feeding will assure birds will come to visit suitable accommodations for the winter months now and in the future.

Arrest man after GC house search

Granite City detectives and agents from the Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Southwest Illinois (MEGSI) executed a search warrant at 4:10 p.m. Monday at the home of James "Buddy" Boyd, 65, of 1728 Cleveland Blvd.

Many items were seized from the dwelling, according to detectives, including a large quantity of cash, a federal gold stamp, a cable

TV converter unit owned by South-Western Cable TV, Inc., a weapon, stereos, a radio, a television, a scanner and two police radios.

Local detectives are in the process of identifying the seized property and trying to substantiate ownership, it was learned Wednesday.

The latter charge is against Boyd's prior record as a convicted felon, authorities said. An investigation continuing on additional charges may be pending, it was learned.

Club was released at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday after posting a \$50 cash bond.

SUSPENDED STUDENT

A 10-day suspension has been given a 15-year-old student at Granite City High School who was alleged to have been found with two guns in his possession while in the school building at 12:15 p.m. Tuesday.

The youth voluntarily turned the weapons over to North Principal Gilbert Walsley, who was alerted to the situation by other students who had seen the youth apparently wearing a gun in a shoulder holster.

A second weapon, which was in the student's gym bag, also was surrendered to the school administrator, it was reported. The weapons were .22 and .38 caliber handguns.

Granite City police were called to the school and the matter was referred to Juvenile Officer Dusan Gamsky, who was alerted. The boy had been experiencing problems at home and had decided to run away the previous night.

His disappearance, along with the weapons and \$70 in cash, was reported by his parents to the Madison County Sheriff's Office at 9:30 p.m. Monday. The family resides in the county's jurisdiction.

The youth returned to school Tuesday to empty his locker and, at this point, had been observed wearing the shoulder holster, it was learned from authorities.

10,000 MISSING

Nick Novosel, 820 Washington Ave., Madison, reported during the weekend that a burglar entered an unlocked porch area and forced a window open to get inside the dwelling. A bedroom was ransacked and \$800 in currency and \$200 in coins were stolen.

DISORDERLY CHARGE AGAINST WOMAN, 29, filed while patrolling on Route 3 two miles north of Niedringhaus Avenue at 2:23 a.m. Tuesday, officers saw security guards from the Granite City Army Installation trying to restrain a woman who appeared to be intoxicated and was walking in the highway's traffic lanes.

Efforts by the woman's companion, security personnel and officers to persuade Mary K. Parker, 28, of Villa Ridge, Mo., to return to the Army installation were unsuccessful.

She allegedly began screaming and cursing the officers and was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. Miss Parker was released at 10:10 a.m. Tuesday after posting a \$52 cash bond.

BREAK INTO AUTO

An in-dash AM-FM stereo cassette player valued at \$275, and an equivoque worth \$59, were stolen from a vehicle belonging to Wallace DeShon Jr., 2437 Benton St., reported Monday. Two speakers, which are not his property, were left inside the car by the thieves, he said.

Basic U.S. industries imperiled

The unemployment crisis in the core industries reflects a larger national problem — the decline of basic industries — Richard L. Trumka, president of the United Mine Workers of America, believes.

"I think the concern for the development of new high technology industries may be valid. But it is a simplistic approach to our economic ills and tends to ignore the critical role that heavy industry plays in our economy. To do so invites economic disaster," Trumka told the House Education and Labor Committee last week.

"The number one goal of the administration and Congress must be jobs," Trumka testified during a hearing on the impact of the economic crisis on employment.

"In all our basic industries — coal, steel, auto and construction — the rates of unemployment are far higher than in December's overall 10.8 percent rate, which was the highest since 1941." Jobless decreased to 10.4 percent of the same group in January.

The labor leader said more than 45,000 or 33 percent of U.M.W. members face jobs, with unemployment ranging between 33 and 68 percent in five Eastern and Midwestern coal mining regions.

Trumka urged lawmakers to quickly reauthorize the federal supplemental benefits program scheduled to be terminated next month. "These unemployment figures are devastating, but the true crunch has yet to come. The real misery will be felt when the miners exhaust their unemployment benefits," he said.

He called on Congress to encourage the Federal Reserve to allow the nation's money supply to grow fast enough to bring down interest rates and spur economic recovery.

Trumka proposed a "better balance between social and military increase, continued supply-side tax cuts, and social programs" "at worst, a dangerous economic game that threatens to rend the social fabric of our society."

Turning to energy, he urged Congress to renew its commitment to converting oil-fired, coal-coking plants from oil to coal. "This would not only increase employment in mining, construction and transportation industries, but would also reduce our dependence on foreign oil," he said.

Trumka urged upgrading of the inland waterway system and improvement of port capacity to facilitate the movement of goods to U.S. allies around the world.



DREAMING THE GOOD LIFE. Cephus Miles (Alex Thomas, center) and Pattie Mae Wells (Renetta Neal, seated at the rear) dream of the good life in the big city as described by the Siren Woman (Stephanie Alston, right) in a score from the award-winning play "Horn." The play will be presented Saturday at 8:15 p.m. in Meridian Ballroom at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Tickets are \$1 for SIUE students and \$2 for non-students. Reservations may be made by calling the SIUE Ticket Office at 1-692-2320.

BAC to observe Financial Awareness Week Feb. 20-26

Belleville Area College is participating in Financial Aid Awareness Week, Feb. 20 to 26, to help students be more aware of what financial aid is and how to get it. Governor James Thompson declared Feb. 20 to 26 Financial Aid Awareness Week earlier this year.

More than 6,500 BAC students received financial aid during the 1981-82 school year. According to Lee Knoebel, BAC's Financial Aid and Placement director, the majority of these students received help from six programs.

The federal programs providing assistance were Pell Grant and College Work-Study. Pell Grants formerly (FEOG) provided up to \$1,800 per year to undergraduates from limited income families. This program provided the

greatest assistance, with 1,594 students receiving money during the past school year.

The federal College Work-Study allows students to earn money through work on campus. In addition to the federal program, BAC has a student work program, placing students in jobs throughout the campus.

Financial assistance at the state level includes Illinois State Scholarship Commission's Monetary Award Program. More than \$20,000 was given to BAC students through this program during the past school year.

Another state program is the Illinois Veteran's Scholarship, which helped 1,000 BAC students pay part of their educational expenses during the 1981-82 school year.

The Illinois Guaranteed Student Loan Program helped nearly 800 BAC students with more than \$1.5 million in loans during the past school year.

For information on these programs and others which are available to BAC students, students may contact the Financial Aid and Placement Office at 1-235-2700, extension 288.

Foreign capital may ease housing mortgage market

In a further effort to increase the supply of affordable funds for housing, Federal National Mortgage Association Chairman David O. Maxwell announced last week that the corporation is seeking to channel foreign investments into the U.S. mortgage market.

Foreign capital "could prove to be one of the most potent tools in our efforts to provide adequate funds for housing in the future," Maxwell told the U.S. League of Savings Institutions' annual secondary market conference in Miami.

Noting that existing sources of housing funds could be inadequate to supply the projected \$13.1 trillion in needed mortgage finance over the balance of this decade, Maxwell outlined a three-part Fannie Mae (FNMA) plan to tap foreign capital.

First, he said, Fannie Mae is seeking approval from the Treasury Department to activate an offshore financing program "so that we can tap foreign investment at its source."

Such programs are already in widespread use by other financial institutions and by many major U.S. corporations, he noted.

"If others can tap these funds to finance their business operations," Maxwell said, "it makes even more sense to tap them for one of our most basic public needs: adequate housing."

Second, once Fannie Mae receives Treasury approval, it will initiate "a major marketing campaign to make foreign investors aware of the abundant attractions of the U.S. home mortgage market and of the desirability of using Fannie Mae as the most efficient conduit to that market."

Foreign investors, he explained, have a padlock with the complexities of direct investment in mor-

gages, nor would they have any desire to become so. They are, however, familiar with the FNMA as the second largest issuer of debt in the United States, next only to the U.S. Treasury.

Fannie Mae thus has the investment and the recognition to serve as the bridge between foreign capital markets and the U.S. mortgage market.

Third, he said, Fannie Mae will establish a "market watch" to follow international investment methods and trends to assure that products and services of the American housing industry remain attractive to offshore investors.

Maxwell said, "Recovery of the housing industry is absolutely essential to renewed economic health for the country and jobs for millions of people."

He said success in obtaining offshore capital could relieve strains on domestic credit markets, thus exerting downward pressure on interest rates.

He noted that Fannie Mae is also devising major efforts to attract pension fund investment into housing.

The Federal National Mortgage Association is a federally chartered, shareholder-owned corporation.

The nation's largest single lender of home mortgage loans, FNMA buys mortgages from local lenders, then repackages them into "pools" of mortgage money.

STORAGE BIN THEFT A 14-inch gas-powered chain saw in a red case was stolen from the basement storage bin of Merle Braver, 2741 Harvey Place, he reported Monday. A padlock had been forced on the bin door, he said.

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